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Births.

WOTTON.—November 15, at Euroka, Burrowa, Mrs. William J. E. Wotton, of a son.

Marriages.

CLARKE—STUART.—October 28, at the Pro-Cathedral Church, Napier, New Zealand, by the Ven. Archdeacon Clarke, brother of the bridegroom, assisted by the Rev. De Bordt Hovell, Incumbent, Marsden Clarke, Esq., of Waimate, Bay of Islands, to Frances Emily Stuart, eldest daughter of the Right Reverend the Bishop of Waiapu.

Deaths.

BLACKET.—November 16, at the Parsonage, Kelso, of whooping cough, Eric Arthur Usher, infant son of Rev. A. R. Blacket, M.A.

COVENY.—November 16, at Glanworth, Darling Point, Robert Coveny, aged 72. *R. I. P.*

CONNOR.—November 16, at her late residence, Smith-street, Parramatta, Margaret, widow of the late John Connor, of Flashcombe, Prospect, aged 72 years.

CHANDLER.—November 12, at their parents' residence, 121, Parramatta-street, Richard; also November 16, Thomas beloved sons of Richard and Eliza Chandler.

Shipping.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN MAIL STEAM COMPANY (Limited).
OVERLAND ROUTE,
via Torres Straits and Singapore.
The R.M.S.
BOWEN,
J. Miller, commander,
under contract with the Government of Queensland,
will leave the Co.'s new Jetty, Smith's Wharf,
SATURDAY, November 30, at noon, taking mails, cargo, and passengers for Singapore and Hongkong.

Passengers can be booked for Venice, Brindisi, and Southampton, and forwarded by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's steamers, or to Marseilles, per steamers of the Messageries Maritimes.

This splendid steamer carries passengers to BRISBANE and all Queensland ports.

CARGO will be received on WEDNESDAY, November 27, and up to 2 p.m. on FRIDAY, November 29.

All packages must be distinctly PORT-MARKED.

For rates of freight or passage, apply to
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents,
52, Pitt-street.
November 4, 1878.

PACIFIC MAIL S.S. CO.
OVERLAND ROUTE TO GREAT BRITAIN THROUGH AMERICA.
Under contract with the N.S.W. and N.Z. Governments,
AUSTRALIA,
3000 tons,
W. Cargill, commander,
will be dispatched
at 4 p.m. on THURSDAY, 5th December, carrying her Majesty's mails and passengers to Auckland, Honolulu, and San Francisco.

Drafts payable in gold in San Francisco, issued by the undersigned.

Passengers booked from Sydney to Liverpool, London, or Paris, with special advantages.

Through rate from Sydney to Liverpool, first-class, £72.

For rates of passage and freight, and for all other information, apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Agents,
Gresham-street.

STEAM TO CLARENCE RIVER, via NEWCASTLE.
The steamship LUBRA, Captain H. Chudleigh, will leave the Market Wharf on TUESDAY next, 19th November, at 6 p.m., landing cargo at all wharfs on the River.
Freights, 12s 6d per ton.
Passage, £1.
NIPPER and SEE,
123, Sussex-street.

THE CLARENCE AND RICHMOND RIVERS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS will be dispatched from the Company's Wharf, Sussex-street, as follows, weather permitting.

Ship.	Date of Sailing.
FOR GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER, calling at ILUKA.	
CITY OF GRAFTON...	TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 9 p.m.
FOR MACLEAY RIVER, via PORT MACQUARIE.	
AGNES IRVING	THIS NIGHT, Monday, at 9.
FOR RICHMOND RIVER.	
BALLINA.................	TO-MORROW, Tuesday.

Passage rates to and from Grafton.

Saloon:		Steerage:	
Single ticket...........	£3 0 0	Single ticket.............	£1 15 0
Return ditto............	5 0 0	Return ditto............	3 0 0
Available for return via Richmond River.		Available for return via Richmond River.	

JOHN WHITE, Secretary, Sussex-street.

NEW MANNING RIVER STEAM NAVIGATION CO.'S steamer Beagle, Captain Herron, for TAREE, Manning River direct, TO-MORROW AFTERNOON, at 2, from Caledonian Wharf, King-street; weather permitting.
Cargo being received.
JOHN RITCHIE, Agent.

FIRST STEAMER FOR RICHMOND RIVER.
The C. and R. R. S. N. Co. will dispatch the favourite s.s. BALLINA to the RICHMOND RIVER direct on TUESDAY next, 19th instant.
The Ballina will be in charge of Captain Magee.
JOHN WHITE, Secretary.

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY (Limited).
The s. s. KEMBLA, for NEWCASTLE, from Lime-street Wharf, foot of Erskine-street, THIS (MONDAY) NIGHT, at 11; and TO-MORROW (TUESDAY) NIGHT, at quarter-past 11.
H. D. PORTUS, Manager.

HUNTER RIVER NEW STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, RAYMOND TERRACE, &c.
FROM SYDNEY:
TO-MORROW (Tuesday) NIGHT, at 11, the MAITLAND.
On WEDNESDAY NIGHT, at 11, the MORPETH.
Goods for Clarence Town forwarded TO-MORROW NIGHT.
Freight payable in Sydney.
Goods will not be received after 5 p.m.
F. J. THOMAS, Manager.
Offices—foot of Market-street.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.
☞ Passengers and Shippers are informed that the Company's Steamships will be dispatched as follows from their New Wharf (late Campbell's):—
TO HONGKONG, via NEWCASTLE and COOKTOWN.—Ocean, early.
TO LEVUKA (FIJI).—Wentworth, after arrival of the Pacific Mail, due 25th instant.
TO MELBOURNE.—Ly-ee-Moon, to-morrow afternoon, Tuesday, at 4.30; and Wotonga, Saturday afternoon, at 1. Fares and freights at current rates.
TO NEWCASTLE, RAYMOND TERRACE, and MORPETH.—Coonanbara, to-night, Monday, at 11; and City of Brisbane, Wednesday morning, at 9.
TO MARTIN'S WHARF (MILLER'S FOREST).—City of Brisbane, Wednesday morning, at 9.—Freight payable in Sydney.
TO BRISBANE.—Victoria, this afternoon, Monday, at 4.30.
TO MARYBOROUGH.—Balclutha, Wednesday afternoon, at 4.30.
TO GLADSTONE.—Steamer from Brisbane every Tuesday.
TO ROCKHAMPTON.—Boomerang, this afternoon, Monday, at 5.
TO MACKAY.—Yaralla, from Brisbane, about Monday, 25th instant.
TO BROADSOUND, via ROCKHAMPTON.—Boomerang, this afternoon, Monday, at 5.

TO PORT DENISON TO CLEVELAND BAY TO CAIRNS, TRINITY BAY TO PORT DOUGLAS, ISLAND POINT TO COOKTOWN WHARF	Victoria (without transhipment), this afternoon, Monday, at 4.30.
TO CARDWELL TO KEPPEL BAY TO FLAT TOP ISLAND	Victoria, this afternoon, Monday, at 4.30.

Cargo is now being received for transmission to any of the above ports.

N.B.—Vessels can berth at this wharf and discharge, free of wharfage, colonial produce for shipment per this Company's steamships.
FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE, NEWCASTLE, BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, and ROCKHAMPTON.
The M. S. S. CO. will dispatch their STEAMSHIPS (when practicable) as follows, from STRUTH'S WHARF, foot of King-street:—

FOR MELBOURNE:		
LEURA.............	John Pain......	TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 1 o'clock.
BARRABOOL.......	J. B. Clark......	FRIDAY, November 22.
MACEDON..........	Chas. Ashford	TUESDAY, November 26.
LEURA..............	John Pain.......	FRIDAY, November 29.
FOR BRISBANE:		
EDINA	J. H. South ...	FRIDAY, at 4 o'clock.
YOU YANGS	J. D. Harley...	FRIDAY, November 29.
FOR MARYBOROUGH:		
EDINA	J. H. South ...	FRIDAY, at 4 o'clock.
FOR ROCKHAMPTON:		
YOU YANGS	J. D. Harley...	FRIDAY, November 29.

Carrying passengers and cargo. Return tickets issued to and from MELBOURNE available for three (3) months, by any of the Company's steamers, leaving every TUESDAY and FRIDAY, and vice versa. Cargo received for the above ports every day.

These vessels have their SALOONS amidships, and are victualled by the owners. Steerage passengers supplied with bedding.
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.
THE MELBOURNE STEAMSHIP COMPANY
will dispatch the
S. S. LEURA, 1500 tons,
John Pain, commander,
TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 1 o'clock.
For all particulars, apply to
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO RICHMOND RIVER.—The splendid passenger steamship RICHMOND, from Grafton Wharf, about WEDNESDAY next.
G. and B. NICOLL, Erskine-street.

MANNING RIVER STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited).
The s.s. DIAMANTINA, Captain Herron, will leave for TAREE, Manning River, direct, from Lime-street Wharf, foot of Erskine-street, TO-MORROW (TUESDAY) AFTERNOON, at 2, weather permitting.
All freights payable in Sydney.
H. D. PORTUS, Agent.
Lime-street Wharf.

BRISBANE WATER.—S. PELICAN leaves King-street Wharf TO-MORROW, 7.30 a.m.; return, 1.30 p.m.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.—To WOLLONGONG and KIAMA.—To-night and to-morrow night, at 11.
SHOALHAVEN.—To-morrow night, at 11.
MERIMBULA and EDEN.—Wednesday, 9.15 a.m.
TATHRA (for Bega).—Wednesday, 9.15 a.m.; and Friday, 11 p.m.
ULLADULLA and CLYDE.—Friday, 9.15 a.m.
MORUYA.—Friday, at 11 p.m.

CHEAP EXCURSIONS.—PARRAMATTA, RYDE, ERMINGTON, and NEWINGTON STEAMERS, from KING-STREET, THIS DAY, at 7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5. From Parramatta, 7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5. COCKATOO, HUNTER'S HILL, and GLADESVILLE STEAMERS, from King-street, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12.30, 1, 3, 4.15, 11. FIVE DOCK, ASHFIELD, and BURWOOD, from King-street, 7, 10, 12.30, 4.15, 6.15. From Five Dock, 7.45, 8.30, 11 a.m., 5, 7 p.m. From Gladesville, 8, 8.45, 10, 11.15, 12, 2, 5.10, 7.10. From Hunter's Hill, 8.15, 9.5, 10.15, 11.25, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.20, 8.15, 7.20, calling at Cockatoo.

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE FERRY.—
Steamer WOMERAH leaves—
Lime-street Wharf, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5.5, 7
Lane Cove, 8, 10, 12, 2, 4, 6.
SATURDAY—Lime-street Wharf, 1.15 and 11.15 p.m.
Lane Cove, 10 p.m.
SUNDAY—Lime-street Wharf, 10, 2.30, 6.
Lane Cove, 9, 1, 5.

STEAM TO AUCKLAND AND ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS.
The Union Company's powerful steamship
ROTORUA,
1000 tons, M. Carey, commander,
will be dispatched as above, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 20th instant, at 4 p.m., booking passengers and cargo for all ports.
Passengers for Hokitika, Westport, and Greymouth booked at through rates.
Shipping orders must be obtained for all cargo.
Cargo received up to 5 p.m. to-morrow, but not later than 1 p.m. on Wednesday.
FREDK. W. JACKSON, 58, Pitt-street.

UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND (Limited).
Fortnightly communication to all NEW ZEALAND PORTS.

Ship.	Tons.	Commander.	Date of Sailing.
ROTORUA	1000	M. Carey	20th November, via Auckland.
WAKATIPU ...	1796	Wheeler............	3rd December, via Wellington.

FREDK. W. JACKSON, 58, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO AUCKLAND.—
The favourite and powerful
s. HERO,
Thomas Logan, commander,
will leave the Grafton Wharf, at noon, on SATURDAY, 30th November.
The saloon is amidships.
Passengers booked to the Waiwera Hot Springs.
For freight or passage apply to
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO.,
52, Pitt-street.
November 15, 1878.

REDUCED FREIGHTS TO NEW ZEALAND.—SHIPPERS OF LARGE PARCELS LIBERALLY DEALT WITH.
The S. S. EASBY, 2000 tons burthen, W. ANDERSON, Commander, will sail for WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, and PORT CHALMERS on or about TUESDAY next, the 19th instant; also, taking passengers and cargo for transhipment to NELSON, WESTPORT, HOKITIKA, GREYMOUTH, &c.
Steerage passage to WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, or PORT CHALMERS, £4.
For freight or passage apply to FORD, ADAMS, and CO., Circular Quay.

STEAM TO HOBART TOWN, calling at EDEN, TWOFOLD BAY.—The fine steamship Tasman, 760 tons register, will be dispatched from the Grafton Wharf, on TUESDAY, 26th November, at 11 a.m.
Shippers are requested to send all cargo down the day previous to sailing. No cargo received after 10 a.m. on day of sailing.
For freight or passage apply to
T. and W. WILLIS, 48, Pitt-street.

MANLY BEACH STEAMERS, THIS DAY (weather permitting),
leave Queen's Wharf, 7.15, 10.15, 11.30, 2.15, 4.30, 6.
Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 11.45, 2.30.
Manly Beach, 8.10, 9, 12, 3.15, 4.45, 5.30.
No freight taken after 2.15.
Fares: Return ticket, 1s 6d; children, 1s. On Saturdays and Sundays, return ticket, 1s. Extra late boats will leave Sydney for Manly Beach, on Wednesdays and Saturdays, 11.15 p.m.

WATSON'S BAY.—Steamers SWANSEA and GOLDEN ROSE leave
Watson's Bay, 8, 8.15, 11.45, 12.15, 3.30, 5
Circular Quay, 10.15, 11, 2.15, 3, 4.15, 5
Woolloomooloo, 6, 10.30, 2.30.

FOR LONDON.
The magnificent 100 A1 steamship
WHAMPOA,
3335 tons register, 3000-horse power effective,
W. J. HYNES, R.N.R., Commander,
will be dispatched in DECEMBER, and, being only opportunity for securing FEBRUARY SALES, the attention of shippers is invited.

RATES OF PASSAGE.
SALOON ....as per agreement.
SECOND CLASS ....£30.
THIRD CLASS.......................................£20.
STEERAGE (for men only) ....£16.
For all other information apply to
JOHN FRAZER and CO.
WOOL RECEIVED at FLOOD and CO.'S.

ORIENT LINE OF STEAMSHIPS, FOR LONDON.
The following full-powered steamships will be dispatched for London via the Suez Canal, as under:—

Steamer.	From Sydney.	From Melbourne.
CUZCO	December 7	December 17.
ACONCAGUA	January 4............	January 14.
LUSITANIA	February 5...........	February 14.

These steamships, expressly built and fitted for carrying passengers on long ocean voyages, are each of about 4000 tons register, and make the passage in about 40 days.

Fares:
FIRST SALOON, 60 to 75 guineas.
SECOND SALOON, 35 guineas.
THIRD-CLASS (enclosed cabins), 20 and 22 guineas.
Open berths for single men, £16.
Canal dues, eight shillings.

Apply in London to F. GREEN and CO., and ANDERSON, ANDERSON, and CO., Managers of the Orient Steam Navigation Company (limited); and in Sydney to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

DEVITT AND MOORE'S LINE OF SAILING SHIPS FOR LONDON.
These well-known favourite passenger ships will be dispatched in the following order:—

Ship.	Tons.	Commander.	To sail.
HAWKESBURY	1120	Carvosso	November.
DUNBAR CASTLE	925	Brown	December.
LA HOGUE	1331	Wagstaff	January.
PARRAMATTA	1521	Goddard	February.
WINDSOR CASTLE	1015	Fernie............	February.

For freight or passage, plans of cabins, and all information, apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.,
Gresham-street.

FOR LONDON,
for the February sales,
the favourite clipper ship
HAWKESBURY,
1120 tons, D. Carvosso, commander.
This ship, requiring a small quantity of wool to fill her, will be dispatched in a few days for the above sales.
Passage money—Saloon, as per agreement.
Second class, in house, £21.
For freight or passage apply on board, at Cosmopolitan Wharf, to Captain Carvosso; or to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.
WOOL RECEIVED at MARSDEN and SON'S.

FOR LONDON.
To follow the
HAWKESBURY,
Messrs. Devitt and Moore's favourite regular trader
DUNBAR CASTLE,
925 tons, J. R. Brown, commander,
will have prompt dispatch. For freight or passage, apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.,
Gresham-street.

FOR LONDON,
with immediate dispatch,
the magnificent clipper ship
THOMAS STEPHENS,
1507 tons register, built under special survey,
and classed AA1 at Lloyd's,
Richard Richards, commander.
This splendid clipper, having the greater portion of her wool engaged and stowed, offers the last opportunity for the February sales. Her passage from London was made in 77 days.
For rates of freight, apply to
CHARLES PARBURY, Gresham-street; or to
YOUNG and LARK, George and Margaret streets.
WOOL RECEIVED AT FLOOD'S.

FOR LONDON.
The splendid A1 clipper ship
CAMBRIAN PRINCESS,
1350 tons register,
James M'Gill, commander.
This fine vessel requiring only a LIMITED QUANTITY of wool, will be dispatched in a FEW DAYS, and will positively be the last opportunity of CATCHING FEBRUARY SALES.
For rates of freight, &c., apply to the Captain on board; or to
JOHN FRAZER and CO.
WOOL NOW RECEIVED AT FLOOD AND CO.'S

FOR LONDON DIRECT.—
The A1 clipper ship,
DUKE OF ABERCORN,
1050 tons register,
J. Binnie, commander.
This vessel having all her dead weight on board, and large wool engagements, will have immediate dispatch.
For freight or passage apply on board; or to
JOHN FRAZER and CO.

FOR BOSTON (direct).—
The fine A1 clipper-barque
CHRISTINE,
500 tons register, J. Wilfung, commander, having the bulk of her wool engaged, will receive prompt dispatch.
For terms, &c., apply to
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO.
Wool received at Flood and Co.'s.

FOR LONDON.
The well-known favourite A1 clipper ship
CAIRNBULG,
1567 tons register,
A. BIRNIE, Commander,
having a large quantity of cargo engaged, will receive prompt dispatch.
For freight or passage apply to Captain Birnie, on board, or to
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO.
Wool received at Flood and Co.'s.

FOR LONDON
The A1 Aberdeen clipper ship
SMYRNA,
1304 tons register,
R. Jamieson, commander,
having all her dead weight on board, and a large quantity of wool engaged, will receive prompt dispatch.
For freight or passage, apply to HENRY AUSTIN, 35, Hunter-street; or
MONTEFIORE and MONTEFIORE,
Gresham-street.
☞ Wool received at Talbot's.

FOR LONDON.
Following the Cyniscа.
The first-class clipper ship
LAPWING,
800 tons register,
P. Crengle, commander,
will be dispatched as above.
For freight or passage, apply to
MASON, BROTHERS.
Wool received at FLOOD and CO.'S STORES, COSMOPOLITAN WHARF, or BLACKWALL STORES, Macquarie-street.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE—FOR LONDON.
Ship
PATRIARCH,
H. PLATER, Commander.
Intending passengers are invited to inspect the accommodation of this vessel, unsurpassed, if equalled, by any on the berth.
An experienced surgeon accompanies the ship.
For terms of freight for wool only, or passage, apply to the Captain, on board at Circular Quay, or
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.
Wool received at Talbot's Stores.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS FOR ENGLAND.—
Messrs. Money Wigram and Sons splendid clipper steamship
NORTHUMBERLAND,
2178 tons register, 300-horse power nominal (1500 indicated),
John Cumming, commander, will be dispatched from
MELBOURNE FOR LONDON, VIA THE SUEZ CANAL, on
WEDNESDAY, 4th DECEMBER.
Fares:
Saloon (according to accommodation required)
Second class... ... ... £27 to £30
Third class ... ... £18 to £22
Steerage ... ... £16.
A liberal allowance made for families.
For plans of cabins, dietary scales, and all particulars, apply to
M. METCALFE and CO.,
9, Bridge-street.
To be followed by steamship KENT in JANUARY.

FOR AUCKLAND.—☞ The clipper schooner LOOKOUT, 108 tons register, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will be dispatched as above, from the Patent Slip Wharf, on or about THURSDAY, 21st instant.
For freight and all particulars apply on board; or to
WM. LAIDLEY and CO., Agents,
Exchange, Pitt-street.

FOR TONGA, VAVAU, and HAABAI.—The clipper barque, METEOR, J. L. Clulow master, will be despatched on the 23rd instant.
For freight or passage, apply to RABONE, FEEZ, and CO.

SHIP PERICLES, from London, via Plymouth.—Consignees by this vessel are requested to pass ENTRIES at once for Smith's Wharf. All goods impeding the discharge will be landed and stored at the risk and expense of the consignees, and the vessel will not be responsible for any loss or damage to cargo after same has been landed. Bills of lading must be produced, freights paid, and orders for delivery obtained from the undersigned before the goods can leave the wharf.
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

SHIP ENNERDALE, from Liverpool.—Consignees are requested to pass ENTRIES at once for MOORE'S WHARF. All goods impeding the discharge will be landed and bonded at risk and expense of consignees of same. Bills of lading must be presented and freight paid before any goods can be delivered. The ship will not be responsible for damage to, or loss of cargo occurring after same is landed.
LORIMER, ROME, and CO., Agents,
34, O'CONNELL-STREET.

Captain PORTER, of the above ship, will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his CREW without his written authority.

SHIP LA HOGUE, from London.—Consignees are requested to pass ENTRIES at once, for Parbury's, late Towns's Wharf. All goods impeding the discharge will be landed and stored at the risk and expense of the consignees. The ship will not be responsible for any loss or damage to cargo after it has been landed. Bills of lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the office of the undersigned before any goods can leave the wharf.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.,
Gresham-street.

MADEIRA, from GLASGOW.—Consignees are requested to pass ENTRIES at once. All goods impeding the discharge will be entered, landed, and stored at consignees' risk and expense. Bills of Lading must be presented, freights paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned. The ship will not be liable for loss of, or damage to cargo, after landing.
MASON, BROTHERS, Agents.
Captain AHRENS will not be responsible for DEBTS contracted by the crew without his written authority.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIP OCEAN, from Hongkong.
Consignees are requested to pass ENTRIES at once, for the Company's New Wharf (late Campbell's). All goods impeding the discharge will be landed and stored at the risk and expense of the consignees, and the Company will not be responsible for any loss or damage to cargo after it has been landed. Bills of lading must be produced, freight and wharfage paid, and delivery orders obtained from the office of the Company before any goods can leave the wharf.
FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

FOR SALE, FREIGHT, or CHARTER.—The A1 barquentine JESSIE M'DONALD, 273 tons register, J. Stott, master, now lying at GRAFTON WHARF, is open for engagement or SALE; carries 430 tons coal on 13½ feet draught, and stands without ballast; is well found and in excellent order.
100 tons stone ballast on board for sale.
Apply to Captain STOTT, on board, or to
BEILBY and CO., 123, Pitt-street.

FOR Sale, Freight, or Charter, British barque LADY LAMPSON, 412 tons register, built in Sunderland, 1868; recoppered and re-classed in July, 1878; A1, British Lloyds, 7 years, from December, 1878. For further particulars apply to BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., or to the Captain, on board, Grafton Wharf.

FOR SALE, 1 Steam LAUNCH, new, 33 feet overall, 6 feet beam
Several small Launch ENGINES, without boilers
1 10-h.p. nominal Launch ENGINE
1 10-h.p. horizontal ENGINE
1 6-h.p. horizontal ENGINE.
For further particulars apply CHARLES HALLIDAY, Engineer, Erskine-street, Sydney.

FOR Sale, Freight, or Charter, barque KEBROYD, 363 tons. H. S. BIRD and CO., Circular Quay.

QUANDONG and other steamers for HIRE. Chowder Bay can be engaged. Dry Dock Ferry.

WANTED, 14-feet DINGY (no centreboard). Apply by letter, price, where to be seen, Adelphi, 142, Pitt-st.

WANTED, half-decked centreboard BOAT, 20 feet long, 8 feet beam, complete set of sails and oars; must be well built, fast, and thoroughly seaworthy. State price, T. L., Herald Office.

QUAY BERTHS vacant; first-class Wharfage and Storage. G. F. MASON, Patent Slip Wharf.

FLOATING DOCK, DARLING HARBOUR.—THOMAS S. ROWNTREE and CO., Wood and Composite Shipbuilders and Blacksmiths. Ships of any size docked; repairs and work efficiently carried out on the most reasonable terms. ets, spars, and ship timber of every description always on hand

MERCANTILE MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA.
WOOL insured from STATION to LONDON on favourable terms. Marine risks of every description at current rates.
W. C. GODDARD and CO., Agents,
Exchange

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited).
Chief Office—35, Cornhill, London.
Capital—£1,000,000; paid up, £250,000.
WOOL and ALL PRODUCE insured to London. Claims payable at chief office.
WOOL insured through from stations.
W. H. MACKENZIE and CO.,
Agents for New South Wales.
Exchange-corner, Sydney.

Municipal Elections.

ALDERMAN O'CONNOR, for PHILLIP WARD.
A MEETING of the Committee will be held THIS (Monday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock, at the Central Committee Rooms, Mr. P. R. Larkin's Hotel, George-street South.
GEO. SMITH, Hon. Sec.

MR. RICHARD M'COY, for PHILLIP WARD.
A Preliminary MEETING of the friends and supporters of Mr. RICHARD M'COY will be held at Mr. John Wood's, PALACE HOTEL, George and Hay streets, THIS (Monday) EVENING at 8 o'clock.
PETER FORD, Hon. Sec. pro tem.

COOK WARD ELECTION. Ex-alderman STEEL'S Committee meet at the Marshal M'Mahon Hotel, Riley and Campbell streets, on MONDAY EVENING, November 18, at 8 o'clock.

COOK WARD ELECTION.
A Public MEETING of the friends and supporters of Mr. GEORGE WITHERS will be held, THIS DAY, the 18th November, at the Braidwood Hotel, Foveaux and Macquarie streets, at 8 p.m.
HUGH WILSON, Esq., will preside.
JOHN EDGELY, } Joint
W. T. PAWLEY, } Secretaries.

ALDERMAN CARPENTER, FOR COOK WARD.
A full attendance of the Committee requested for THIS EVENING (Monday), at the Central Committee Rooms, Mr. Spencer's, Surry Hills Hotel, corner of Crown and Campbell-streets.
JOHN PACEY, Hon. Secretary.

Business Announcements.

J. W. HAYNES, late of Brighton House, 508, George-street, begs to return his most sincere and grateful thanks for the kind and liberal patronage bestowed on him during the past six years, and having sold the business for a time, trusts that a continuance of the kind patronage will be given to his successor, W. H. SCHRODER.

Personal.

DR. CORTIS, just arrived per Hankow, will you kindly send your address to J. G. RAPHAEL, Sydney.

HOLLINGSHEAD.—Apply at Union Bank of Australia, Sydney.

H. F. YOUNG, of Monatrea House, Youghall, communicate at once with C. A. EDWARDES, Survey Office. Important.

Lost and Found.

LOST, Brass Dog COLLAR, name engraved; reward. 370, Elizabeth-street South.

LOST, from Bessbrook, Cleveland-street, Rosella PARROT. Finder rewarded.

LOST, on Friday, a Bunch of KEYS. Reward, 387, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

LOST, Japanned Tin BOX, addressed Mr. Mansfield. Handsome reward at 1, Belgrave-terrace.

LOST, a brown PURSE, gold and notes and a watch-key. A reward. Apply 78, Abercrombie-st., Chippendale.

LOST, rough brindle kangaroo DOG, answers to the name of Gaffer. Liberal reward at Mitchell and Co., 162, George-street North.

LOST, in Woolloomooloo-street, on Saturday evening, young Italian GREYHOUND. Reward. 153, Forbes-street.

LOST, either at the German Picnic, Botany, or in one of the omnibuses, a Gold Keeper RING and a Gold Leaf RING, with initals. Reward given. A. BOEKEMANN, 314, George-street, Sydney.

LOST, a LETTER, on Saturday morning, between 12 and 1 o'clock, addressed Mr. Lever, French Park House, Elizabeth-street. Finder will oblige by leaving it at J. F. LEVER'S, 373, Castlereagh-street.

LEFT in Pitt-street Railway 'bus, on Friday morning, a lady's BAG, containing money, &c. The finder will be rewarded on returning same to Mrs. Boulton, opposite Congregational Church, Railway-street, Petersham.

ONE POUND REWARD.—LOST, a small brown PONY, branded LB conjoined. WALTER LAMB, Quiraing, Edgecliff Road, Woollahra.

STRAYED, from William-street, Woolloomooloo, a Roan MARE, NP off shoulder, white face, and white near hind foot. Reward at 97, William-street.

TEN SHILLINGS REWARD will be given to the party who may have found a BLACK BAG, in the Glebe 'bus, containing two receipt books and spectacles, on delivering the bag to Mr. C. KELSEY, Royal Exchange Hotel.

TWO POUNDS REWARD.—LOST, DOUBLE-BARREL BREECH-LOADING GUN, Morris and Turner, makers. Apply BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB, Spring-street.

FOUND, a TERRIER SLUT, Black and Mouse coloured. W. SHADEL, Goodsir-street, Balmain.

THE PUBLIC are cautioned against negotiating CHEQUE, drawn by G. and A. Turner on the City Bank in favour of Mr. JAMES KIDMAN, and dated 16th November, 1878. Payment stopped.

Meetings.

TO HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR OF THE BOROUGH OF NEWTOWN.
Sir,—We the undersigned residents of Newtown, hereby request that you will call a Public MEETING, at an early date to devise means for preventing the increase of public-houses within the Borough.
We have the honour to be, Sir,
Your obedient servants,
J. HAMBLIN,
W. CURNOW,
WILLIAM TYE,
CHARLES WHATELY,
W. G. HIBBLE,
THOMAS HUMPHREYS,
&c., &c.

To Messrs. J. Hamblin, W. Curnow, W. Tye, and other gentlemen signing the above requisition.
Gentlemen,—In compliance with the above requisition, I hereby convene a Public MEETING of the inhabitants of Newtown, to be held in the TOWN HALL, NEWTOWN, on THURSDAY next, November 21, at 8 p.m.
A. W. FALLICK, Mayor.
Town Hall, Newtown, November 16, 1878.

At the above Public Meeting, S. C. Brown, Esq., M.P., will take the chair, and suitable resolutions will be moved by influential gentlemen.
E. A. BRAHAM, Secretary.

ANTI-CHINESE MEETING at the GUILD HALL, Castlereagh-street, THIS EVENING.—A PUBLIC MEETING will be held to express the indignation and abhorrence of this community against the unmitigated evils of Chinese Immigration to these shores. By order of the Political Reform Union.
J. B. DOUGLAS, Secretary.

EASTERN SUBURBS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The usual Monthly MEETING will be held in the Schoolroom, Point Piper Road, on TUESDAY, the 19th November, at 8 o'clock, when prizes will be awarded for best collection of 12 cut carnations, pinks, and picotees, and for 6 pot-grown gloxinias. Exhibits to be staged by 6.30 p.m.
The Society's Fuchsia Show will be held on the 5th and 6th DECEMBER. Prize schedules and full information can be obtained from any member of the committee, or from
J. M. COMBES, Hon. Secretary.

MASONIC.—Lodge of Australia, 390, E.C.—An Emergency MEETING THIS EVENING, at 7 prompt.

NO. 74 L. O. L. meets THIS EVENING, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall, Balmain. Visitors invited.

MOUTRAY, No. 349 R. B. P., meets TO-NIGHT, in Protestant Hall, at 8 o'clock. J. A. BRONSDON, Reg.

HIGHLAND SOCIETY OF N. S. WALES.—Literary Branch, usual Fortnightly MEETING, Waterloo-chambers, George-street, opposite the Market, THIS EVENING, at 7.45, adjourned discussion. Committee Meeting at 7.
JOHN MACDONALD, jun.,
Hon. Secretary.

WORKING Men's Defence.—A MEETING, THIS EVENING, Bathurst-street Column. Petition against Chinese Immigration.

NO. 15, L. O. L.—A Royal Arch Purple MEETING will be held in the Oddfellows' Hall, Newtown, THIS EVENING (Monday), at 7.30 sharp. A full attendance of Arch Purplemen respectfully invited. T. R. ROSSITER, Secretary.

NEW SOUTH WALES CRICKET ASSOCIATION.—A MEETING of the Committee will be held at Tattersall's, THIS EVENING, the 18th November, at 8 o'clock. THE DINNER COMMITTEE to MEET at 7.45 p.m.
JOHN M. GIBSON, Hon. Secretary.

TATTERSALL'S CLUB.
SETTLING NIGHT over last V. R. C. Race Meeting at the Club-room, Tattersall's Hotel, THIS EVENING (Monday), November 18th.
(By order),
JAMES HERALD,
Secretary.

MAITLAND GASLIGHT COMPANY (Limited).
The TWELFTH HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office, West Maitland, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th November, at 7.30 p.m., to RECEIVE the REPORT of the DIRECTORS for the half-year ending October 31, 1878; to ELECT TWO DIRECTORS in the place of Messrs. E. P. Capper and H. G. Tuck, who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election; to ELECT TWO AUDITORS, and to transact such other business as may be brought forward in conformity with the Deed of Settlement.
The undermentioned duly qualified proprietors have given the requisite notice they are candidates for the vacant seats in the Directory, viz.:—
EDWARD PETER CAPPER, Esq.
JOHN WARN TUCK, Esq.
By order of the Board of Directors,
RICHARD CRACKNELL,
Secretary.
November 8th, 1878.

CITY OF SYDNEY COAL-MINING COMPANY (Limited).—NOTICE is hereby given that a General MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held on TUESDAY, 19th of November instant, at 3 o'clock, at the Company's Offices, 362, George-street, Sydney, to receive the Report of the Directors, to Elect a Director in place of F. Wentworth, Esq., who retires by lot, and an Auditor.
By order of the Directors,
S. THOMPSON, Manager.

Lectures.

A LADY intends to LECTURE THIS EVENING, at the Protestant Hall, at 8.
Subject: Mrs. Constable wrong and the Ex-priest Chiniquy right relative to Auricular Confession proved by the lady's personal experience in Sydney.
Ladies whose letters were suppressed at the Press, are requested to send them to LECTURE, PROTESTANT HALL BOX.
The small charge of 6d entrance will be made, to pay expenses.

EX-PRIEST CHINIQUY.
Mrs. CONSTABLE fearlessly pledges herself to answer, on WEDNESDAY EVENING next (the hall not being available for Tuesday evening), at the Guild Hall, any statements which the lady may make at the Protestant Hall on Monday in regard to auricular confession.

THE ART OF MEMORY OF THE CHINESE AND ANCIENTS, with illustrations of its marvellous power, by feats of memory.—LECTURE by Mr. F. P. O'REILLY, Solicitor, at the School of Arts, on TUESDAY, 19th instant, at 8 o'clock. Admission — Reserved seats, 3s; back seats, 2s; gallery, 1s. Members and their families half-price to front and back seats. "Instructive and amusing." "Thoroughly master of the subject."—Victorian Press.

NOTICE.—A Gentleman expected to arrive in Sydney will this week (D.V.) deliver a LECTURE contradicting the extraordinary statements put forth by the Rev. Ex-priest Chiniquy.

International Exhibition.

A PREMIUM of £20 will be given for an approved Design for a MEDAL and CERTIFICATE for the Sydney International Exhibition of 1879. Competitive designs will be received up to December 31, 1878.
H. M. WRIGHT,
Acting Secretary.
Sydney, International Exhibition, 1879.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, 1879.
The Special Committee of the above, appointed to confer with the Executive Committee of the Agricultural Society, will meet at the Rooms, 237, George-street, THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.
HENRY M. WRIGHT, Acting-secretary.

Religious Announcements.

REDFERN and WATERLOO PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Regent-street South.
On TUESDAY, 19th, a TEA MEETING to celebrate the second anniversary of the pastorate of the Rev. T. J. Curtis, will be held in the church, Mr. Thomas Walker in the chair.
Tickets, 1s 6d. Tea on the table at 6.30 p.m.
After tea, addresses will be delivered by several ministers.

MR. HENRY VARLEY, Temperance Hall, 4 to 5 THIS AFTERNOON. BIBLE READING, subject: "Walking in the Light; how sustained." No meeting by Mr. Varley in the Protestant Hall to-night; no meeting.

Tenders.

BOROUGH OF PADDINGTON.—TENDERS will be received until TUESDAY, the 26th instant, for the Construction of a brick and cement Culvert, about 700 feet long.
Plans and specification, &c., can be seen on application to the undersigned at the Council-chambers.
By order of the Mayor.
CHARLES HELMRICH, Council Clerk.
November 13, 1878.

No. 78-76.
Town Clerk's Office,
Sydney, November 14, 1878.
CONTRACT FOR CARTAGE.
TENDERS will be received at this office until THURSDAY, the 21st instant, at noon, for the CARTAGE of 1800 TONS of WATER PIPES from a wharf in Sydney, to the high service reservoir at Paddington.
The contractor will be required to load, unload, and stack the pipes as may be directed, and will be held responsible for any damage or breakages. Tender to state a price per ton, for which the service will be performed.
CHAS. H. WOOLCOTT,
Town Clerk.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the erection and completion of a Public School and Teacher's Residence, at Castlereagh.
Plans and specifications may be seen on application to J. D. Single, Esq., J.P., honorary secretary; or at the Architect's offices, 165, Pitt-street, Sydney, from whom forms of tender may be obtained.
Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tender for Public School Buildings, Castlereagh," must be delivered at the Architect's office not later than TUESDAY, 3rd December, 1878.
Security will be required for the due performance of the works.
G. ALLEN MANSFIELD,
Architect to the Council of Education

No. 78-75.
Town Clerk's Office,
Sydney, November 15, 1878.
TO CONTRACTORS.—TENDERS will be received at this Office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 26th instant, for the performance of the undermentioned works, in accordance with the plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the City Surveyor, viz.:—
1. Forming, ballasting, and blinding Bellevue-street
2. Ditto, ditto, ditto Young-street
3. Ditto, ditto, ditto Cross-street.
CHAS. H. WOOLCOTT,
Town Clerk.

TENDERS are invited for Alterations, Additions, and other Works to premises in Oxford-street, for the City Bank Corporation, the plans and specifications for which can be seen at the offices of the undersigned, where tenders are to be delivered, on or before noon, on THURSDAY, 21st November. The lowest or any other tender will not necessarily be accepted.
W. W. WARDELL, Architect,
171, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for altered plan and specification of ANGLICAN CHURCH, at SEVEN HILLS.
Plans and specification may be seen on application to Mr. PHILIP PEARCE, Seven Hills; or to the Architect, by whom tenders will be received on 24th instant.
A. L. ELPHINSTONE, Jun., Architect,
Pitt and Park streets.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a Residence, in Paddington-street, PADDINGTON.
Plans and specification may be seen on application to the Architect, to whom tenders are to be delivered on the 23rd instant.
A. L. ELPHINSTONE, Jun., Architect,
Park and Pitt streets.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS will be received up to SATURDAY, the 23rd instant, for the erection of Six SHOPS with Dwellings, together with a Terrace of Six DWELLINGS at the rear of same, in Castlereagh-street.
Plans, specifications, and full particulars may be obtained at the office of Mr. ALBERT BOND, Architect, No. 175, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of a Shop and Dwelling in George-street, Parramatta. Tenders must be sent in on or before SATURDAY, the 23rd November. Plans and specifications may be obtained on application to W. M'LAREN, Smith-street, Parramatta.

TO CARPENTERS.—TENDERS are invited by the United Society of Boilermakers for the Erection of a Case for their Banner. Specifications may be seen at the Swan with two Necks, George-street, where tenders are to be addressed until WEDNESDAY, the 20th instant.

TENDERS required by Noon of SATURDAY, 23rd November, for the Erection and Completion of three Houses, with Shops, &c., in Oxford-street, Darlinghurst. C. MAYES, Architect, 84, King-street.

TENDERS are invited, by noon of 20th November, for erecting a House at Balmain.
HAROLD BREES, Architect,
352, George-street.

TENDERS invited for Stock of a General Store, in the assigned estate of H. Jorgens, storekeeper, Liverpool.
For particulars apply to Trustees, care of Tillock and Co., 784, George-street.

TENDERS required for Extension and Alterations to Shop. Plans and specifications to be seen at
F. M'MAHON'S,
654, Brickfield-hill.

TO STONEMASONS.—TENDERS for foundation of small House. Apply, early to G. MITCHELL, 1, Jesmond-street, off Crown-street, Surry Hills.

TENDERS required for Erection of Verandah. A. OGILVIE, Pitt and Park streets.

TENDERS are required for Brickwork, &c. C. MAYES, Architect, 84, King-street.

TENDERS.—Wanted, to purchase DRAIN PIPES at CONLON and COTTER'S Pottery, Broughton-st., Glebe.

TENDERS invited, Alterations or Premises into Shops; plans, &c. REYNOLDS' Hotel, 787, George-street.

TENDERS for Painting and Glazing two houses in Liverpool-street. Apply Dungannon Castle Hotel, Crown-st.

WANTED, TENDERS for Supply of 150 Regalia Scarfs. Apply No. 9, Waterloo-place, Chippendale, where sample can be seen.

Volunteer Notices.

INTERCOLONIAL MATCH.—The members competing for selection can obtain Martini rifles at Victoria Barracks, THIS EVENING, at 7.30 o'clock. JOHN COOPER, Captain of Team. 18th November, 1878.

NEW SOUTH WALES RIFLE ASSOCIATION.—Post Entries close THIS DAY. Secretary will be in attendance at the office, 10 O'Connell-street, between the hours of 4 and 5, and 7.30 and 9 p.m.
W. FOSKITT, Secretary.

N. S. W. VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.—Recruits will be enrolled for the above corps at this office, O'Connell-street, THIS EVENING, the 18th instant, at 8 o'clock, and members who have been medically inspected will be sworn in at 7.
By order,
J. E. O. SAUNTON, Captain,
and Adjutant N. S. W. V. A.

N. S. W. VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.—Those members of the Old Force who were not medically inspected, together with the recruits who were enrolled on Tuesday, the 12th instant, will present themselves for medical inspection at this office, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th instant, at 8 p.m., instead of Thursday.
Recruits wishing to join the corps must attend for enrolment at 7 p.m.
By order,
J. E. O. TAUNTON, Captain,
and Adjutant N. S. W. V. A.

NO. 5 BATTERY, V. A.—PARADE TO-NIGHT at Hyde Park, 7.45, in Drill Order. Special Meeting after drill.
W. GORE BEVERLEY, Captain.

VOLUNTEER FORCE.
A MEDICAL OFFICER will be at the Offices, 10, O'Connell-street, at 8 o'clock, each evening, next week, to inspect Volunteers offering for enrolment, viz.:—
On Monday, for the 1st Regiment and Head Quarters Band.
Tuesday, 2nd Regiment.
Wednesday, Volunteer Artillery.
Thursday, Engineers.
Friday, 1st Regiment and Engineers.
Saturday, 2nd Regiment.
A Medical Officer will also be in attendance at the same place and hour on Mondays and Thursdays in each week, commencing on Monday, the 25th November, until further orders, for the Examination of persons offering for enrolment.
On MONDAY, in the Volunteer Artillery, Engineers, and Head Quarters Band.
THURSDAY, 1st and 2nd Regiments of Infantry.
By command.
W. B. B. CHRISTIE, Major of Brigade.

RECRUITS FOR ENGINEER CORPS.—Professional men and mechanics desirous of enrolment in the Volunteer Force under the new Regulations will please attend at the Victoria Barracks, on WEDNESDAY next, at 7.30 p.m. For qualifications see Brigade Order No. 139, in S. M. Herald of October 8.
THOMAS ROWE, Captain Commanding.

FIRST REGIMENT VOLUNTEER INFANTRY.
Recruits who enrolled their names on Thursday night, 14th instant, and others who wish to join this Regiment, will attend at the Regimental Office, O'Connell-street, at 7 p.m. THIS EVENING, 18th instant, for medical examination.
By order, JAMES HILL,
Lieutenant and Adjutant.

NO. 2 CO.—DRILL, TO-NIGHT, Hyde Park, 7.30.
C. A. WILSON, Captain.

NO. 8 CO., V. R.—DRILL TO-NIGHT, at 7.30.
J. M. SMITH, Captain.

SECOND REGIMENT VOLUNTEER INFANTRY.—RECRUITS will be enrolled DAILY by the undersigned, at the office, 10, O'Connell-street, between 10 and 12, and each Evening between 7 and 8 o'clock, Saturdays and Sundays excepted.
By order.
JAMES WILSON, Captain, Adjutant.

VOL. I. ORDERS bought and sold. F. SOMERS, 185, Pitt-st., 10 to 4; after 6 p.m., Black's Hotel, Surry Hills.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
In an early number of
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will be commenced
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a new serial story of absorbing interest, full of graceful writing and powerful situations,
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The sole right of publication of "Sir Gibbie" in Australia has been purchased by the proprietors of
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Business Cards.

A CARD.—Mr. JOHN SPENCER, Dentist, will practice his profession at his new residence, 44, Wynyard-sq. N.

AVOID the Insolvent Court.—W. BRYANT and CO., Accountants, &c., 120, Elizabeth-st. Insol. schedules filed.

A CARD.—SIMS and PARKES, Wholesale and Retail HERBALISTS, TREAT ALL DISEASES. 246, George-st. N.

ARCHITECT.—HAROLD BREES, Surveyor. Land subdivided. 352, George-street, over Mountcastle's.

A CARD.—Dr. SPENCER has resumed the practice of the several branches of his profession, who has effected cures in numerous cases after Allopathic and Homœopathic treatment having failed. Vide testimonials. 304, Castlereagh-street.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH.—Mr. M. EMANUEL, Dentist (established 1850), supplies the above on the most approved principles. Workmanship unsurpassed. Observe well the address—277, Elizabeth-st., three doors south of Market-st.

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ARTIFICIAL TEETH INIMITABLE.—Mr. GUSTAVUS GABRIEL, Dentist, 6, Carlton-terrace, Wynyard-square, is now prepared, having recently imported largely of materials of all kinds, to supply Artificial Teeth of all qualities at lowest possible charges; first-class workmanship guaranteed. Painless dental operations; the most difficult cases successfully treated. Established 1858. CAUTION.—Mr. GUSTAVUS GABRIEL has no connection in practice WITH ANY OTHER PERSON.

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Agent for the Corrugated Furnace Flues; Martin's Furnace Doors and Bars; C. Cammell and Co., steel manufacturers; Hathorn, Davis, and Davey; and Guibal Mine Ventilator.

F. REX, Monumental Sculptor, removed to Elizabeth and Kippax streets, Sydney, opposite old Cemetery.

FAMILY Mourning Warehouse.—Cheapest in Sydney. Mrs. HINCHCLIFFE, 123, 125, and 127, Oxford-street.

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J. LAWLER, Steam Bedding Manufacturer, 517, George-street, Brickfield-hill. Established 1855.

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MADAME DEMOREST'S new Paper PATTERNS. Princess Robes, Costumes. 140, Castlereagh-street North.

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PHRENOLOGY, 19, Hunter-street.—Professor and Mrs. HAMILTON'S compliments to friends and patrons. Early visit requested; remain in Sydney only a few days, in consequence of other engagements. Written character 10s, verbal 5s.

RICHARD M'COY (late M'Coy, Brothers), Boot Warehouse, REMOVED to 452, George-street, opposite Markets.

SIGNOR CREVELLO, Phrenologist.—Advice given to travellers. 35, Parramatta-st., opposite Tooth's Brewery.

SPECTACLES, 1s; tinted eye preservers, 1s; goggles, 1s; eye glasses, 1; Brazilian pebbles, 10s 6d. Spectacles, &c., made to order. Mr. SOLOMON, the only qualified Optician in the colony, 689, George-street South. N.B.—Beware of incompetents.

TO THE TRADE.—G. ROBINSON, Grainer, &c., is prepared to execute Graining in all its branches, writing, &c. Orders left at H. V. Hall's, Turon Inn, George-street, will meet with prompt attention.

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A GOOD Handwriting or Bookkeeping taught to persons of any age in a few short easy lessons. Mr. NORRIS' Writing Institute, 34, Park-street. Established 1861. Separate room for ladies; lessons any hour. Letters written.

FRENCH LESSONS given by a Parisian born lady, should like give above as compensation for a home in a private family. Parisian factory, George-street, over Mountcastle's.

MISS COOK has vacancies for the Pianoforte and Dancing. 39, Cumberland-street North.

SIGNORA C. DE BARATY FERRARI begs to announce that a new quarter is about to commence. New Pupils will not lose lessons on account of the holidays. 10, 5, and 3 guineas per quarter of 26 lessons. 213, Macquarie-street.

A GENTLEMAN will give TUITION (including music) in exchange for comfortable home; qualified. Bos., Herald.

WANTED, in a month's time, a young LADY, domesticated, to take entire charge and teach three children music (under 10), also assist in light housework; good musician and needlewoman indispensable. Comfortable home. State salary. References required. J. P. O., Singleton.

A LADY of high attainments, assisted by Professors, will be glad to hear of a LOCALITY where there is a good opening for a select Day School. B. W., Spragg and Adams, Oxford-street.

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PORTLAND CEMENT, Keen's; Plaster, Zinc, Galv. Iron, at reduced prices; Sheet Lead and Pipe, White Lead and Oil, Copper Boilers, &c.; Marble and Slate Chimneypieces, &c. G. E. CRANE and SON, City Cement Stores, Circular Quay.

SLATES, best Bangor, all sizes, now landing; Caithness Flagging, Slate Slabs. Crane and Son, New Pitt-street.

TO WHOLESALE BUYERS.—For SALE, to arrive ex Monarch, sixty thousand T and G Pine FLOORING, twenty thousand T and G LINING, rough FLOORING, BATTENS, &c. W. SHORT, Wholesale Timber Merchant, Baltic Wharf.

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CEDAR all sizes, TURNERY every description. STEWART'S Cedar Yard, Pitt-street.

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NOTICE to persons requiring Sashes GLAZED.—Please send them in early in each week, as we cannot guarantee their delivery the same week if sent in after Thursday.
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The Return of Hardy Knute.

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THE VISIONS!
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MAGICAL CHANGE
to
UNA'S BOWER.
The
BANQUET HALL.
Rejoicings!
Appearance of
THE WOOD DEMON!

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The Statues,
HALL IN THE CASTLE,
Necromantic
CAVERN OF SANGRIDA,
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The Hour Approaches,
One o'clock,
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GRAND VOCAL and INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT,
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Duet—"Could a man be secure"—Messrs. Ward and Buchanan
Song—"Will o' the wisp" (Cherry)—Mr. H. Wilkinson
Recitation—"Wanted a Wife"—Mr. Frank Sewell
Song—"The Blind Girl to her Harp (Glover)—Lady amateur
Song—"Sweethearts" (Sullivan)—Mr. A. Parkinson
Song—"The Wood Nymph's Call" (Williams)—Lady amateur
Scene from "The Rivals"—Sir Anthony Absolute—Mr. G. R. Henson
Glee—"The waves are dancing lightly."

Intermission.

PART II.
Grand Sonata, op. 24—Weber (a, adagio; b, rondo)—Professor Stanley
Solo—"Tho' passion may fly" (Romberg)—Mr. Winchcombe
Ballad—"Golden Days" (Arthur Sullivan)—Lady amateur
Recitation—"Henry of Navarre"—Mr. W. J. Allen
Flute and Piano—"Selection from "William Tell" (Rossini)—Flute, Mr. Thos. Buchanan; piano, Professor Stanley
Aria—"A Father's Love" (Wallace)—Mr. H. Wilkinson
Duet—"Sweet Wild Rose"—Lady amateurs
Recitation—"Toodles"—Mr. Frank Sewell.
Glee—"The cuckoo sings" (Macfarren).

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Hon. Sec.

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ENTERTAINMENT for the Benefit of Mr. ROBERT WILLIAMS (who has met with a severe accident at the Saw Mills, Druitt-street), THIS DAY, MONDAY, November 18. Reserved seats, 2s.
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Stage Manager	Mr. B. N. Jones
Manager for Mr. Reeve	Mr. John Bryan.

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NOTICE.

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J. Hurst, gold pencil case
Messrs. Flavelle, Brothers and Roberts, cup
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A. G. Carlos, opera glass
H. F. Delarue, drawplates for jewellers
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E. J. Hollingdale, gold chain, £3 10s
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AMERICAN BUGGIES,
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OFFICIAL STATISTICS OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

I.

The Statistical Register for the year 1877, having been laid before Parliament, has now been published by the Government Printer. As is customary, the Registrar-General has written a brief review of the statistical tables which constitute the volume in which the salient points of the various returns are briefly stated. From Mr. Ward's report to the Colonial Secretary we quote as follows:—

"I have to call your special attention to the great difficulty of procuring the necessary returns for the publication of the Statistical Register in anything like a reasonable time. We have now entered the eighth month of the year 1878, and yet there is information for the past year not yet supplied from two or three of the departments. I am satisfied that if the head of each department would insist on a compilation of returns at stated periods of the year, the statistics could be made public at a much earlier date. I also bring under your notice the present mode of collecting the agricultural and live stock returns. Some of the details are inaccurate and misleading, besides entailing much labour and causing great delay in publication. The general totals, as also the totals of each district, may be relied on as correct. On this subject, however, I purpose going more into detail on a future occasion.

"PART I.—POPULATION, IMMIGRATION, VITAL STATISTICS, &c.

"The estimated population of the colony on the 31st December, 1877, was 662,212 persons, which makes an addition during the year of 32,436 persons, or 5·15 per cent. The estimated number of the sexes was as follows:—Males, 367,323; females, 294,889, so that the former were 72,434 in excess of the latter. The percentage of males to total population was 55·47, and of females 44·53, showing a difference of 10·94 in favour of males, which figures are 0·46 higher than those for the previous year. The proportion of males per 1000 of population was 555, and of females 445. The net increase to the population for 1877 was 18,800 persons, making our estimated population to number 662,212 persons.

"The registers show that during the year 1877 there were 4994 marriages celebrated, being an increase of 364 on the previous year. The number of births registered was 23,851, as against 23,298 in the year preceding, giving an addition of 553 births to the year under consideration. Registered deaths numbered 9869, which are fewer by 1324 than those for the previous year.

"From the number of marriages celebrated during the year 1877, we find that the rate per 1000 of estimated population was 7·76, which figures show that the average for the previous nine years has been a little more than fully sustained. Marriages celebrated in the city numbered 1343, which gives a rate of 13·81 to estimated population. The number of suburban marriages was 556, which amount to 7·21 per 1000; and 3095 was the number for the country districts, making 6·58 per 1000. The city rate is 1·18 lower than the average of the previous nine years; that for the suburbs is higher by 2·19 than the previous nine years' average, and also higher by 0·95 than any single year of the same period. The country districts show a rate of 1·08 in excess of the average of the previous nine years. Of the total number of marriages we find that the Church of England celebrated 37·42 per cent.; Roman Catholic, 19·82; Presbyterian, 17·10; Wesleyan, 10·19; Primitive Methodist, 2·20; Congregational, 4·86; Baptist, 1·40; and registrars, 6·07.

"During the year 1877, we find that the total number of births registered in the colony was 23,851, viz., 12,292 males and 11,559 females, or 51·54 and 48·46 per cent. respectively. There were then 733 more male than female children. In the previous year the excess of male over female children was 1·22 per cent.; for the year under consideration it is 3·08 per cent. Of the total number of births 14·25 per cent. occurred in the city, 13·61 per cent. in the suburbs, and 72·14 per cent. in the country districts. The birth-rate of the colony per 1000 of estimated population for the year 1877 was 37·05 which is 0·70 lower than the previous year, and 2·16 below the average of the previous nine years. On referring to the decennial tables it will be seen that, with the exception of the year 1873, the birth-rate of the colony has been gradually on the decrease year by year. The city shows a birth-rate of 34·95 which is lower by 0·53 than the preceding year, and 1·69 under the average of the nine previous years. In the suburbs the birth-rate for the year was 42·15, which is 0·76 higher than the previous year, but 1·61 lower than the nine previous years' average. The country districts show a birth-rate of 36·67. Here again we find a decrease of 0·95 on the previous year, and 2·29 on the average of the previous nine years.

"From the death registers for the year 1877, we learn that the rate of mortality was considerably lower than for the two preceding years. The number of deaths registered in the colony was 9869, as against 11,193 in the previous year. The percentage of male deaths to total deaths is 59·55, and of female deaths 40·45; the former being 19·10 per cent. higher than the latter. The death rate for the colony per 1000 is 15·34, which is 2·79 lower than the previous year; but 0·32 over the average of the nine years preceding. The average of daily rate of mortality is about 27. The rate for Sydney, for the year 1877, was 20·57, which is under the figures for the previous year by 6·13, and also for the average of the previous nine years by 2·42. The average daily rate for the city was 5·48. The suburbs show a death rate of 17·15, and here we find a difference of 5·66 in favour of the year under consideration, as compared with the previous year, and 0·82 lower than the nine years' previous average. For the country districts the death rate was 13·95, which is lower by 1·64 than the previous year, but 1·06 higher than the average rate of the previous nine years. The consideration of these figure indicates that the past year has been an unusually healthy one, and that the greatest improvement is to be noticed in the city of Sydney.

"The number of immigrants who arrived in the colony direct from the United Kingdom during the year 1877, was 6757, which largely exceeds the figures for any one year of the decade. The increment to our population from this source for the year was nearly 60 per cent. over the previous nine years. From other countries the number of arrivals was 465. The total number of immigrants at the public expense was 6018, consisting of 2892 males and 1627 female adults, and 743 male and 756 female children. There were 739 immigrants at their own expense. The number who arrived at the public expense from England and Wales was 3689 or 61·30 per cent.; Scotland, 418 or 6·95 per cent.; Ireland, 1446 or 24.02 per cent.; and other countries, 465 or 7·73 per cent. The religious belief of immigrants at the public expense is as follows:—Protestants, 4554 or 75·67 per cent; Roman Catholics, 1403 or 23·31 per cent.; and other religions, 61 or 1·02 per cent. The arrivals from Great Britain by the mail steamers cannot be ascertained, as they only appear in the lists as from the port of departure of the vessel in which they arrive, therefore the foregoing numbers may be looked upon as arrivals by sailing vessels.

"During the year 1877 there were eight institutions in operation for the treatment of lunatics and imbeciles, seven of which are under the control of the Government, and one is conducted by a private individual. We find that the total number of inmates on 31st December, 1877, was 1836—consisting of 1155 males and 681 females. The number of admissions during the year (inclusive of re-admissions, 115) was 797; of patients under care, 2704; of those discharged as recovered, 209; and as relieved, 55. The deaths numbered 129. There were 340 patients passed through the Lunatic Receiving House at Darlinghurst. The total receipts for the year from the Government were £49,035. It will be seen that the sum of £1863 was received from relations and friends for maintenance, and paid into the Colonial Treasury.

"The number of patients in the various hospitals of the colony at the end of the year 1877 was 544—comprising 428 males and 116 females. The admissions for the year numbered 5678; and discharges 5022; and there were 642 deaths recorded. There were also 9844 persons who received outdoor relief. The total receipts for the year amounted to £41,661, of which sum voluntary contributions show £21,133, and the Government provided £20,528.

"Benevolent asylums, supported chiefly by the Government, provided for 1869 adults and 420 children as admissions during the year. There were 1537 adults and 383 children discharged; and 317 adults and 40 deaths of children. The number remaining at the end of the year was 1289 adults and 191 children. The cost of maintenance to the Government was £23,961, and £1891 were the proceeds of voluntary contributions.

"Two of these institutions were in operation during the year, at a cost of £612, of which amount voluntary contributions provided £398, and the Government £214.

"From the returns of Orphan and Industrial schools we find that the number of inmates on 31st December, 1877, was 1848, consisting of 1028 males and 820 females. The receipts for the year amount to £30,760, of which £24,032 were from the public purse, and £6728 the result of contributions.

"Under the head of Miscellaneous Institutions there are six establishments, supported entirely by private contributions. Four of them, the Home, the Sailors' Home, Sydney Female Refuge, and Infants' Home, had the care of 1577 inmates, of which number 1431 were discharged, and 34 died, including 32 infants. The receipts of three of the institutions (the Sailors' Home not giving an account) amounted to £2165, and the disbursements were £46 in excess of receipts. The City Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen gave, during the year, 67,800 meals, and afforded shelter in 34,076 instances; the receipts were £622, and expenditure £560. The House of the Good Shepherd rendered no return.

"The total amount provided in relieving distress and in ameliorating the condition of the people during the year 1877 was £151,158, of which sum private contributions afforded £33,387.

"PART II.—RELIGION, EDUCATION, CRIME.

"The ecclesiastical returns for the year 1877 show that there were 1186 churches and chapels, which is an increase of 36 on the previous year. The number of registered ministers was 613 as against 611 in the previous year. The number of individual sittings had increased from 188,548 to 188,993, the average attendance from 155,782 to 158,815, and average attendance at all other places used for public worship from 35,258 to 38,406. The general total average attendance was 197,221, which is 6201 in excess of the returns for the preceding year. The average attendance at five churches with 250 sittings could not be obtained. The number of registered ministers was as follows:—Church of England, 203; Roman Catholic, 161; Presbyterian, 81; Wesleyan Methodist, 88; Congregational, 32; Baptist, 13; Primitive Methodist, 14; Particular Baptist, 5; United Methodist Free Church, 4; and each of the other Churches under the last-named figure. The total amount paid during the year to the four Churches which receive aid from the Government, viz., Church of England, Roman Catholic, Presbyterian, and Wesleyan Methodist, which number 533 ministers, was £22,355. This sum represents receipts as salaries and allowances, and also moneys derived from the Church and School Estates.

"The number of Sunday schools in the colony during the year 1877 was 1121, showing an increase of 63 on the previous year. There were 7615 teachers and 81,516 children on the registers. The average attendance being stated to be 62,037, or about 76· per cent. Distinguishing the sexes of teachers and children we find that 43·10 per cent. of the former class were males, and 56.90 per cent. females; and of the latter class 47·05 per cent. were males, and 52·95 per cent. females. Of the total number of children on the registers (81,516) we find that the Churches of England, Roman Catholic, Presbyterian, and Wesleyan Methodist claim 69,522, or 85.28 per cent. of the whole.

"From the return showing the number of private schools in each police district of the colony for the year 1877, we learn that there were 565 of such schools, which provided accommodation for 19,099 pupils, consisting of 8292 males and 10,807 females. In the metropolitan division alone there were 260 private schools, with 10,737 scholars. The total number of teachers employed during the year in all private schools was 1067, viz.:—273 males and 794 females. The total increase on the figures of the previous year is as follows:—Schools 22, scholars 669, teachers 51.

"The number of children receiving instruction in the Orphan and Industrial schools wrs 1324, consisting of 791 males and 533 females, under the charge of 20 teachers.

"The total number of Public schools for the year 1877 was 939, being an increase of 47 on the previous year. Comparing the three classes of schools under the designation of Public schools with the previous year we find that Public schools had increased from 503 to 561. Provisional schools had decreased from 279 to 266, and Half time schools were 2 in excess. There were 82,714 children under instruction, consisting of 43,926 males, and 38,788 females. The number of teachers was 1260, viz.:—Males, 745; females, 515. There were 70 more teachers than in 1876, and 6759 more scholars. The total amount received during the year from voluntary contributions, fees, and other sources was £47,754.

"There were 178 Denominational schools in the colony in the year 1877, being 3 less than in the preceding year. Scholars numbered 34,538, viz.:—18,660 males and 15,878 females. The decrease in the number of scholars was 776. There were 202 male and 203 female teachers, in all 405, being 12 more than in the previous year. The sum of £18,856 was received from voluntary contributions, fees, &c.

"The grand total amount paid by the Government from the Colonial Treasury and Clergy and School Estates Revenue Fund, during the year 1877, was £251,643, and that received as fees, &c., was £66,610, making in all the sum of £318,253.

"The Sydney University shows a roll of 61 students and an income of £11,595, of which sum £5000 was provided by the Treasury.

"The Colleges of St. Paul and St. John number 6 and 11 students respectively, and their incomes amounted to £1091 and £1333 respectively, each receiving £500 from the Government. The number of students in St. Andrew's College was 17, with receipts amounting to £2608, of which £2247 was paid by the Government.

"The Sydney Grammar School, with 401 scholars, had an income of £7083, made up by £5583, the proceeds of fees, and £1500 from the Government.

"The general total number of scholars (inclusive of private schools) for the year 1877 was 138,267, and the general total amount set apart for educational purposes was £371,838, which sum is exclusive of the cost of education for 19,099 scholars in private schools. The total increase on the year 1876 in the number of scholars was 6647.

"The return of the Academy of Art is for the twelve months ending 31st May, 1878. During this period it appears that the amount furnished by the Government in aid was 1500, and that £24 was received as private contributions. The total sum expended by the Government on the Academy of Art amounts to £5000. The number of students for the year is stated to be 38, viz.:—13 males and 25 females.

"The number of volumes, pamphlets, and parts in the Free Public Library was 32,753, of which number 26,772 were in the reference branch, and 5981 in the lending branch. It is supported entirely be the Government. During the year 1877 the sum of £4020 was expended in the purchase of books, &c. The total cost of this library to the Government has been £23,685. Donations of books and objects to the end of the year 1877 numbered 1900 of the estimated value of £1220. The number of visits during the year to the reference library was 113,760, and to the lending branch 10,928, this portion being first opened on 3rd July of last year.

"The return No. 34 shows the number of schools of art, public libraries, &c., in the colony, with the date when first opened, whether freehold or leasehold, cost of erection, the amount received from Government and from private contributions, the number of volumes of books, and the number of visits paid during the year 1877.

"The amount expended in the erection of the Australian Museum £34,749. The receipts for the year 1877 from the Govern- ment amounted to £3500, and the expenditure to £2951, of which £1632 went for purchases, and £1319 in salaries and wages. There were 75,275 visitors during the year.

"The total number of cases for which committals were obtained to the Supreme and Circuit Courts of the colony, during the year 1877, was 281, as against 338 in the previous year. There were 184 convictions and 97 acquittals. The number of committals to the Quarter Sessions for the year was 1130, being an increase of 72 on the previous year. There were 899 trials, 633 convictions, and 266 acquittals. The total number of offences reported to the police during the year was 21,604, which shows an increase of 2493 on the preceding year. The total number of persons brought before the Magistrates' Courts of the colony in the year was 47,739, of which number 7788 were discharged for want of prosecution, or for want of evidence; 5431 were cases dismissed on the merits; 33,003 were summarily convicted, and 1517 committed for trial.

SMALL DEBTS EXTENSION BILL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I fear there is a growing practice prevailing in the colonies of rushing into legislation on every apparently pressing necessity; and I assume that this tendency may be as great an evil as the defect which it is proposed to remedy. The outcry about the legal difficulty in recovering small debts, though possessing much plausibility, is in my opinion a case in point. For the satisfaction of those who would press and are pressing this matter I will admit the whole case of their grievance; but I claim the right to say that there are two situations in the case which appear to *me* so far to have been entirely overlooked; and as I deem them material to the end desired, I shall be glad to be permitted to call public attention to them. One point is, that the existence of a sudden and rapid process of recovery has a tendency to make creditors less vigilant in the matter of giving credit; and, secondly, where desperation or cupidity is created by creditor pressure, our Courts are filled with petty insolvencies; and as I consider both of these results demoralizing, it is well they should not be lost sight of.

Yours obediently,
LAYMAN.

DR. DE JONGH'S LIGHT-BROWN COD LIVER OIL.—ITS UNEQUALLED EFFICACY IN CONSUMPTION AND WASTING DISEASES.—Dr. Henry Hanks, author of "Consumption: its Treatment and Curability," writes:—"The superior efficacy of Dr. de Jongh's Light-brown Cod Liver Oil over the pale cod liver oil has proved, in my experience, unequivocal. Patients who have persisted for several months in the use of the latter, with scarcely any perceptible improvement, have, after a brief trial of Dr. de Jongh's Light-brown Cod Liver Oil, acquired such fatness, and those distressing symptoms accompanying emaciation have so rapidly subsided, that I have been induced to confide in its reputed remedial powers, and consequently to advise its substitution for the Pale Cod Liver Oil." Mr. Benjamin Clarke, M.R.C.S., F.L.S., author of "Notes and Suggestions on Cod Liver Oil and its Uses," writes:—"The effect of the pale oil on the circulation is so feebly marked as not to be perceptible; so that in some cases of extreme debility, the patient, from the slowness of its action, is in danger of sinking from exhaustion, or the disease, as in consumption, may become incurable from protraction. My inference agrees with the remark that Dr. de Jongh's Light-brown Oil effects a cure in half the time that the pale oil does." Dr. de Jongh's Light-brown Cod Liver Oil is sold only in capsuled imperial half-pints, pints, and quarts, by all chemists and druggists. Sole consignees, Ansar, Harford, and Co., 77, Strand, London. Agents at Sydney, Elliott, Brothers.—ADV.

Stations	Wthr.	Max	Min	Rain
Tenterf'd	b	98	56	0
Grafton ..	b	100	..	0
Inverell ..	b	91	65	0
Bourke ..	b	112	..	0
Narrabri ..	b	106	70	0
Armidale .	b	90	50	0
Gunnedah	..	..	..	..
Tamworth	..	..	..	..
P. Macqrie	c	74	60	0
Murr'undi	b	89	56	0
Cassilis ..	g	96	59	0
Mus'brook	u	90	60	0
Dubbo ..	n	99	63	0
Mudgee ..	b	99	..	0
Maitland..	g	104	77	0
Newcastle	g	84	61	0
Orange ..	b	93	54	0
Bathurst..	b	98	51	0
MtVictoria	b	75	47	0
Forbes ..	b	92	69	0
Blacktown	c	96	55	0
Sydney ..	u	69	59	0
Wentw'th.	b	82	60	0
Young ..	b	98	56	0
Woll'gong	g	70	58	0
Moss Vale	c	70	51	0
Euston ..	b	86	50	0
Goulburn.	g	72	49	0
Wagga ..	..	..	..	..
Cape Geo.	b	66	56	0
Queanb'an	b	96	50	0
Deniliquin	b	81	44	0
Albury ..	b	90	45	0
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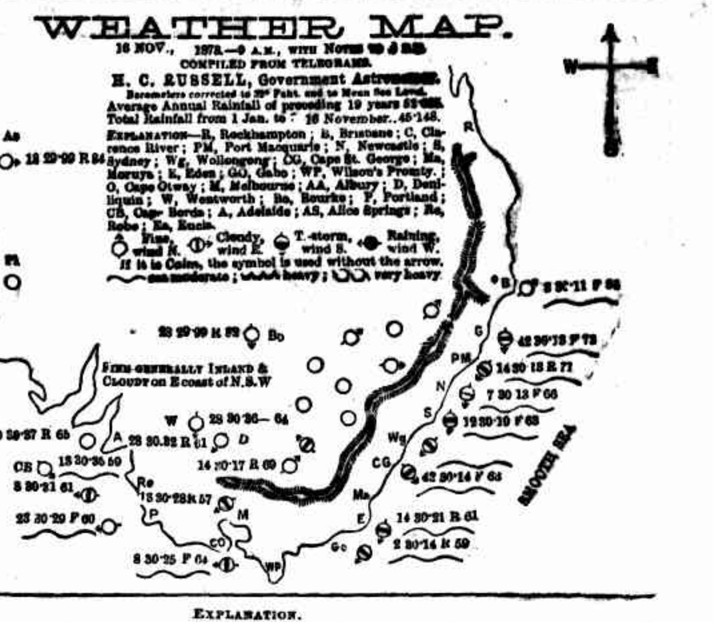
Gabo Isld.	g	63	55	0


WEATHER MAP.
16 NOV., 1878.—9 A.M., WITH NOTES TO 3 P.M.
COMPILED FROM TELEGRAMS.
H. C. RUSSELL, Government Astronomer.
Barometers corrected to 32° Faht. and to Mean Sea Level.
Average Annual Rainfall of preceding 19 years
Total Rainfall from 1 Jan. to 16 November..45·148.
EXPLANATION—R, Rockhampton; B, Brisbane; C, Clarence River; PM, Port Macquarie; N, Newcastle; S, Sydney; Wg, Wollongong; CG, Cape St. George; Ma, Moruya; E, Eden; GO, Gabo; WP, Wilson's Promty.; O, Cape Otway; M, Melbourne; AA, Albury; D, Deniliquin; W, Wentworth; Bo, Bourke; P, Portland; CB, Cape Borda; A, Adelaide; AS, Alice Springs; Re, Robe; Ea, Eucla.
Fine, wind N.
Cloudy, wind E.
T.-storm, wind S.
Raining, wind W.
If it is Calm, the symbol is used without the arrow.
sea moderate; heavy; very heavy
FINE GENERALLY INLAND & CLOUDY ON E coast of N.S.W
SMOOTH SEA
As
PA
Ea
12 29·99 R 84
23 29·99 R 83 Bo
8 30·11 F 88
42 30·13 F 73
14 30 13 R 71
7 30 13 F 66
12 30·10 F 68
W 28 30·26— 64
0 29·87 R 65
A 28 30.82 R 61 D
14 30·17 R 69
CB 13 30·35 59
8 30·21 61
Re 13 30·28 R 57
23 30·29 F 60
8 30·25 F 64
42 30·14 F 65
14 30·21 R 61
2 30·14 R 59
R B G PM N S Wg CG Ma E Go M P CO WP

EXPLANATION.

16 29·90 F 55, for example, reads: Fine, wind north, 16 miles per hour; barometer 29·90, falling; temperature 55°.

WIND SCALE.—13 miles—light breeze; 23—moderate breeze; 34—fresh breeze; 48—gale; 56—strong gale; 65—whole gale; 75—storm; 90—hurricane.

STATE OF WEATHER.—b—blue sky; c—detached clouds; d—drizzling rain; f—fog; g—gloomy, dark; h—hail; l—lightning; m—misty, hazy; n—frost; o—overcast; p—passing showers; q—squally; r—rain; s—snow; t—thunder; u—threatening; v—air very clear.

LAW REPORT.

INSOLVENCY COURT.—SATURDAY.

SURRENDERS.

George Frederick Barnett, of Manly, licensed publican. Liabilities, £2077 16s. 7d. Assets, £1520 0s. 5d. Official assignee, Mr. Sempill.

Jonathan Piper, of Balmain, shipwright. Liabilities £70 0s. 4d. Assets, £12. Official assignee, Mr. Sempill.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18.

Banco Court.—Sawyer v. Municipality of Balmain, Godwin v. Alger, Newby v. Moulder, Roddin and others v. Sie Young.

Jury Court.—Barbour v. Ricketson, part heard; Elliott v. Olive, Isbester v. Thomson, Deery v. Towns.

Prothonotary's Office.—For taxation: Creber v. Solomon, at half-past 10 o'clock; re Head, prohibition, at half-past 10 o'clock; Dickson and another v. Connelly, at a quarter to 11 o'clock; re Johnson's bill of costs v. Ellis, at 11 o'clock.

Master's Office.—At 10.30 a.m.: Attorney-General v. Mears, to fix amount of security on appeal. At 11 a.m.: In re Dibbs' infants, &c., to examine petitioner on her affidavit plea, 12th instant.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Primary Judge, at 10 o'clock: Dibbs and others v. Brown and others, hearing; Brown and another v. Dibbs and others, hearing.

INSOLVENCY COURT.

Monday, November 18, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: James Jackson, third; Edward Hughes and James Jackson, trading as the "Hercules Smelting Company," third; William Bradford Lucas, examination of witnesses; George Smith, same; Edward Benson, same. Before the District Commissioner: At Bega, Henry Wilson, first and only; at Goulburn, James Chapman, same; at Orange, James Cronan, second.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COURT.—MONDAY, Nov. 18.

Clerk v. Dowling, Dowling v. Clark and another, part heard; Rodd v. James, Monk v. Swan, Bevin v. Switson and another, Purdy v. Pritchard.

POLICE.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY.

(*Before the* POLICE MAGISTRATE, *with Messrs.* SMART, CUNNINGHAME, ARGUIMBAU, BROWN, *and* W. FOWLER.

Thirteen persons were fined for drunkenness, one of whom was further fined 40s. for using obscene language and 20s. for assaulting the apprehending officer.

A charge of fraudulent insolvency was initiated, and remanded for hearing on Saturday next.

THE ROSTER.—Monday: Messrs. Murphy, Davies, Pearce, Hunt, Alexander, Bull, R. C. Murray, Graham, Harris, Watkins, and Fraser. Tuesday: Messrs. Palmer, Helsham, Mills, Hyam, Kippax, Hughes, Charlton, Bailey, Calvert, Perdriau, Paling, Lipman, Forsyth, Hezlett, Smart, Linsley, Evans, Hart, and Hourigan. Wednesday: Messrs. Chapman, Guy, Gorus, Solomon, M'Beath, Curran, Dixson, Renwick, Booth, and Fowler. Thursday: Messrs. Thompson, Smithers, Waugh, Alexander, Lester, R. Murray, Connell, Beaumont, Smith, and Stanley. Friday: Messrs. Hill, Oatley, Neale, Jolly, Reading, Pinhey, Holborow, Ridge, Richardson, and Pope. Saturday: Messrs. Cunninghame, Smart, Brown, Fowler, and Arguimbau.

WATER POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY.

(*Before the* WATER POLICE MAGISTRATE, *with Messrs.* HUNT *and* LESTER.)

Three persons were fined for drunkenness, and five for being drunk and disorderly.

Samuel Reynolds was fined 20s., with the alternative of seven days in gaol, for assaulting Joseph Williams by striking him in the face with a stone.

THE ROSTER.—Monday: Messrs. Lester, Holborow, MacMahon, Gray, Marks, Goodridge, W. C. Browne, Dean, Jeanneret, and Hurley. Tuesday: Messrs. Hunt, Reading, Smith, Paxton, Neale, Ridge, Raphael, Jenkins, and Hourigan. Wednesday: Messrs. Josephson, Roseby, Smart, T. H. Browne, Senior, Edwards, Palmer, V. Brown, Greville, and Stanley. Thursday: Messrs. Oatley, Charlton, Solomon, Bird, M'Beath, Davies, Gray, Shaw, Hughes, Dean, See, and Carpenter. Friday, Messrs. Lester, Charlton, Smart, M'Mahon, Goodridge, Fowler, Raphael, and Callaghan. Saturday: Messrs. Hunt, Taylor, Greville, and Edwards.

BOROUGH COUNCILS.

ASHFIELD.—November 4. Present—full Council. Minutes read and confirmed. Correspondence: Mr. William Hardy, respecting laying of drain pipes in Alt-street; Mr. Hedgeland, relative to fixing alignment posts; Mr. E. O. Smith and Mr. Frederick Wells, referring to sanitary affairs. The overseer reported that some malicious person had wantonly destroyed four drain pipes at the new bridge in Croydon road. The Inspector of Nuisances made his report. The Finance Committee passed accounts to the amount of £154 18s., which was ordered to be paid, by the motion of Alderman Mair, and seconded by Alderman Lusty. Agreed "that the Works Committee inspect and report on the best method of improving waterways in Elizabeth-street." Agreed "that tenders be invited for 650 yards of kerbing and guttering on the Liverpool road." The tender of George Lee, for alteration to the culvert in Alt-street, was accepted.—W. BEAMES, Council-clerk.

FIVE DOCK.—General meeting, October 23. Present—The Mayor (Mr. John Croker), Aldermen Hunter, Budd, and Brierley. Correspondence:—1. From Mr. George Greville, asking for proper alignment of streets. Resolved,—"That the Council would attend to this as soon as it possibly could; Mr. Greville to be informed to that effect." 2. From Mr. Poolman, drawing attention to a watercourse on Spring Road. Resolved,—"That Mr. Poolman be informed that, as soon as the obstructions on this road were removed, the Council would attend to the matter." 3. From Mr. Smith, relative to fencing his land on the Northern Road. Decided that Mr. Smith be informed that the Council had no objection, provided its street alignments were not interfered with. Agreed,—"That the Works Committee reinspect the entrance of Newcastle-street, from Scott-street with a view to some few further alterations. Agreed that the Committee inspect Harris Road from James-street to Great North Road, and report with respect to the work necessary to be carried out thereon. The Council-clerk stated that he had been instructed by Mr. Lucas to apologise for that gentleman's unavoidable absence from the meeting as per previous arrangement. The Finance Committee brought up a report recommending payment of accounts amounting to £16 17s. 8d. The report was adopted. The treasurer stated that there was a balance to the credit of the Council of £70 15s. 5d.—HENRY E. MAXTED, Council-clerk.

MARRICKVILLE.—A meeting of the Council was held on 21st October, at half-past 6 p.m. Present: The Mayor (in the chair), Aldermen Chisholm, Geering, Graham, Miles, Moyes, and Whiteman. The minutes of the two previous meetings were read, and confirmed. A letter from Messrs. Wells and Smith, offering to sell boulder metal, was read, when it was agreed,—"That the letter should be received, and stand an order of the day for the next meeting of the Council." The following reports from the Committee for Works were adopted, viz.:—1. Progress report on municipal works. 2. Progress report on Illawarra Road. 3. Progress report on Canterbury Road. 4. On bridge to be erected at the Terrace Road. 5. On work to be done at Unwin's Bridge Road, middle ward. Finance: The report of the Finance Committee, recommending payment of sundry accounts amounting in all to £32 0s. 4d. was adopted.—L. J. PARK, Council Clerk.

WAVERLEY.—Monthly meeting held Tuesday, 5th November. Present—The Mayor (Mr. J. Macpherson), Aldermen Baglin, Maxwell, Newman, Sands, and Wiley. Copies of letters dispatched during the month were read and approved. The following letters were received:—From Messrs. Hardie and Gorman, re rates on Bondi Estate; resolved that they be informed that the same must be paid at least ten days prior the sale. From S. H. Pearce, informing the Council that the Lord Bishop intended to resume possession of his quarry; referred to the Mayor. From Borough Council of Woollahra, requesting co-operation in obtaining police-court for eastern suburbs. Resolved,—"That this Council are willing to co-operate with the Borough of Woollahra in any way they point out towards furthering this object." A petition was read and received from certain persons residing in or near Wooster-street, asking that the street be formed and aligned. The monthly report of the manager of the cemetery was read and received. Finance Committee's reports, recommending the payment of £471 18s. 6d. on general account, and £107 18s. 5d. on cemetery account, were read and adopted. The attention of the Mayor was drawn to the fact that numerous complaints had been made about the very bad drainage flowing from Mr. Burrows' premises, in South Head Road, and it was resolved that the inspector of nuisances be instructed to take action. Motions agreed to—That the sum of £25 be voted to complete the work connected with the two reserves, Nelson Road; that a gas lamp be placed in Bourke-street; that £35 be voted to repair Brisbane-street; that £100 be voted to repair Leichhardt-street from its junction with Cowper-street to Albion-street, including intersections of streets at Charing Cross; that £500 be borrowed by debentures payable 1888, bearing 8 per cent. interest, £180 to be used to renew that debenture due 1st November, 1878; that application be made to the Government to place £300 on the estimates towards erecting a school of Arts. The Mayor having intimated that owing to the want of funds the council's works would have to be stopped, it was resolved that the council-clerk prepare a list of rates in arrear with the view of taking legal proceedings for their recovery.—WILLIAM WILEY, Council-clerk.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—NOVEMBER 16.

Lord Kinnaird, barque, 844 tons, Captain Black, from London 3rd August. J. Frazer and Co., agents.

Ly-ee-Moon (s.), 1000 tons, Captain Brown, from Melbourne 14th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Haldane, Master Haldane, Mrs. Clibbourne and 2 children, Mrs. Walker, Miss F. Cole, Miss Balharry, Miss Tallerman, Miss Patterson, Miss Jordan, Messrs. G. Clark, F. Burne, R. W. Hall, H. J. Adams, R. Rome, C. C. Skarrett, F. M. Alcock, W. Clarke, J. S. Dean, Fitzpatrick, W. H. Jones, W. B. Walford, G. Brien, Chearney, J. P. Haswell, J. Braizer, Hon. E. K. Cox, Clibborne, A. Murphy, Howden, S. D. Tallerman, Kinders, F. Lakeman, J. Urquhart, Huxley, O. H. Lewis, D. Lamb, J. D. Cox, C. Warmisham, W. Butt, R. C. Close, E. E. Jones, T. Bearer, J. G. Levy, C. Read, J. Abrahams, N. De Lewis, and 38 in the steerage. A. S. N. Company, agents.

Balclutha (s.), 282 tons, Captain Beel, from Brisbane 14th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Sheridan, Mrs. Gayfee and 4 children, Mrs. Watson and child, Mrs. Simmonds, Miss Linebey, Miss Lancaster, Messrs. Sheridan, Ruddle, W. Montgomery, John Barthennew, J. B. M'Casker, Wilkins, Thomas M'Bride, B. S. Marks, Watson, J. P. Howard, Huddeford, Kelso King, J. Williams, R. W. S. Roberts, Londers, Master Phillips, and 38 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

Diamantina (s.), 239 tons, Captain Herron, from the Manning River 15th instant. Passengers—Miss Varman, Messrs. Isaacs, Abrian, Bennett, Turner, and 3 in the steerage. M. R. S. N. Co., agents.

Regina Maris, barque, 642 tons, Captain Hock, from Batavia 3rd October. Colonial Sugar Co., agents.

Malcolm, schooner, 182 tons, Captain Langworthy, from Hobart Town 8th instant. Captain, agent.

Ephemey, schooner, 55 tons, Captain Leaman, from Huon Island 4th instant. Montefiore and Montefiore, agents.

Kalaga, barque, 690 tons, Captain Roos, from Sourabaya 5th September. Passengers—Mrs. Roos and servant. Colonial Sugar Co., agents.

NOVEMBER 17.

City of Grafton (s.), Captain F. Bracegirdle, from Grafton November 16. Passengers—Mrs. G. Neale, Miss Larkin, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Whitford, Miss Whittingham, Miss Selig, Miss Whitford, Messrs. Knox, De Lissa, G. Neale, B. James, Harpur, Hobson, Amos, M'Donald, Miller, C. Miller, Boyde, Vaughan, Tierney, Deery, Payne, Master Tierney, Master Allen, and 21 in the steerage.

Damascus, barque, 964 tons, Captain Pitt, from London 30th July. Passengers—Mrs. Pitt and son, Messrs. Hedley and Thursby. Montefiore, Joseph, and Co., agents.

Lubra (s.), 300 tons, Captain Chudleigh, from the Clarence 15th instant. Nipper and See, agents.

Barrabool (s.), 558 tons, Captain J. R. Clark, from Melbourne 15th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Murphy and infant, Miss M. Murphy, Mrs. Lessieux, Mrs. Dyson, Mrs. F. Royal, Rev. F. J. Carroll, Messrs. Wicks, Bernell, Wilcox, Allen, Ross, J. Grant, Dubberlin, Illingworth, J. Burston, A. Hall, W. Hebblewhite, T. Brown, J. L. Manning, A. Moore, E. R. Knapp, A. Lancester, Gow, Colley, O'Brien, Woods, W. Powell, Stock, Clarke, Lessieux, B. Holst, F. Whitworth, H. Legge, R. Lormor, H. Bartlett, E. De Mestre, T. Cripps, W. Dyson, R. J. Durrack, E. G. Rosenthal, J. Jones, M. Murphy, Fulton, Lamb, Bolt, Master H. Legge, Master F. Murphy, Master M. Murphy, Master R. Murphy, and 20 in the steerage. W. H. Smith, agent.

DEPARTURES.—NOVEMBER 16.

Windermere, for London.
Cimba, for London.
City of Adelaide (s.), for Melbourne.
Corea (s.), for Melbourne.
You Yangs (s.), for Brisbane.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—NOVEMBER 18.

Victoria (s.), for Brisbane and Cooktown; Easby (s.), for Wellington.

CLEARANCES.—NOVEMBER 16.

Sea Nymph, brig, 289 tons, Captain Brady, for New Caledonia. Passengers—Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. and Miss Bernier, Messrs. Bernier and Mayara, and 6 in the steerage.

Corea (s.), 382 tons, Captain M'Claucus, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Criddy and Mr. H. Creswell.

City of Adelaide (s.), 1000 tons, Captain Banks, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Lawrie, Miss Lawrie, Mrs. Peterson, Miss L. Thompson, Miss A. Thompson, Mrs. Wendt, Mrs. Anderson, Miss Heathcote, Mrs. Prince and child, Messrs. J. L. Goodman, A. Isaacs, J. Laurie, Master Laurie, Master J. Laurie, A. P. West, J. M. Wendt, Anderson, G. M. Whittall, A. Prince, Herbert, Kappel, and 15 in the steerage.

You Yangs (s.), 457 tons, Captain J. D. Harley, for Brisbane and Rockhampton. Passengers—Mrs. Thomas, Miss Bolger, Messrs. M. C. Mason, T. Merson, W. Burns, S. Smith, A. Owen, and 12 in the steerage.

Eva (s.), 32 tons, Captain Pierotti, for Tahiti.

COASTERS INWARDS.—NOVEMBER 16.

Tasmania (s.), Fanny Fisher, from Newcastle, with 600 tons coal; Kate (s.), from Broken Bay, with 20 baskets fish; Henrietta, from Shoalhaven, with 14,000 feet timber; Franz, from Wollongong, with 160 tons stone; True Blue, from Tweed River, with 28,000 feet timber, 26 bags maize, 12 hides; City of Brisbane (s.), from the Hunter River, with 223 bales wool, 170 bales hay, 33 cases preserved meat, 37 bags potatoes, 8 casks tallow, 5 coops poultry, 174 sheep, 3 pigs, 12 cases eggs, 13 bags onions, 30 hides, and sundries; Kembla (s.), from Newcastle, with 90 bales wool, 200 sacks coke, 2 casks wine, 10 tons scrap iron, and sundries.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—NOVEMBER 16.

Tasmania (s.) and Fanny Fisher, for Newcastle; Kate (s.) for Broken Bay; Empress of India, for Macleay River; Edith Keep, for Richmond River; Henrietta, for Shoalhaven; Franz, for Kiama; Lady of Lorn, for Nambucera River; True Blue, for Tweed River.

IMPORTS.—NOVEMBER 16.

[A special charge is made for consignees' announcements in this column.]

Lord Kinnaird, from London: 1 bin malt, 29 bales paper, 5 cases pianos, 913 packages hardware, 40 packages wines and spirits, 8 packages drapery, 46 packages fancy goods, 31 rolls lead, 7462 packages.

Ly-ee-Moon (s.), from Melbourne: 43 coils rope, 13 rolls matting, 113 bags sugar, 45 colonial ovens, 11 cases confectionery, 618 packages tea, 5 hogsheads 29 quarter-casks brandy, 29 cases claret, 107 pieces timber, 687 bags wheat, 16 quarter-casks wine, 450 bags flour, 92 trunks boots, 10 cases currants, 16 sheets brass, 19 quarter-tierces tobacco, 16 cases biscuits, 2 cases cigars, 1 wool press, 9 washing-machines, 11 horses, and 300 packages sundries.

Balclutha (s.), from Brisbane: 2495 bags sugar, 1491 mats sugar, 38 bales wool, 40 cases arrowroot, 218 hides, 9 casks tallow, 6 bundles skins, 9 bags bones, and sundries.

Regina Maris, from Batavia: 750 tons sugar.

Malcolm, from Hobart Town: 8000 feet timber, 460 bags bark, 1500 cases jam.

Kalega, from Sourabaya: 600 tons sugar.

NOVEMBER 17.

Barrabool (s.), from Melbourne: 1368 bags flour, 180 bags bran, 322 packages tea, 200 bags rice, 586 cases fruit, 80 bars and bundles iron, 2 sheets copper, 12 ovens, 8 packages tobacco, 25 cases sardines, 3 cases rifles, 14 horses, 1 buggy, 40 rams, 5 bales drapery, 1 rolled girder, 1 box type, 4 cases marble mantelpieces, 10 quarter-casks spirits, 147 bags potatoes, 6 trunks boots, 40 kegs paint, 68 bags oatmeal, 16 bags onions, 4 cases clothing, 10 tanks malt, 20 cases galvanized iron, and 66 packages sundries.

Ex Lord Kinnard: Evan's dial clocks, 12, 14, and 16-inch; imitation regulators, with plate-glass backs; French wood mantlepiece clocks, night clocks, and novelties in time-pieces; Rimmell's perfumery, soaps, pomades, toilet powders, and limejuice; lustre vases, Saxony brown half-hose ladies' stockings, tooth and nail brushes, national English song-books, draftmen, and fancy Christmas novelties—Hamburger, Brothers, and Co.

Ex Ly-ee-Moon and Leura: 20 cases Swallow and Ariell's celebrated prize biscuits and Canterbury cakes; 100 bags Bencraft's oatmeal and dressed rice; 14 cases Dillon and Burrow's confectionery; 2 sacks prime Victorian small roll bacon—W. H. Ariell, 119 and 121, Sussex-street.

Ex Lord Kinnaird, from London: 200 cases Dunville's whisky; 100 cases Burnett's old tom; 154 casks soda; 170 casks whiting; 13 pockets hops; 100 cases Whybrow's pint eagle pickles; 100 cases Whybrow's pint London pickles; 50 cases Whybrow's pint warranted pickles; 50 cases Whybrow's half-pint capers; 5 cases Morton's ½-oz. essence lemon; 5 cases Morton's oz. essence lemon; 100 cases Hora's half-pint castor oil; 200 cases Swiss milk; 100 cases Bell and Black's plaid vestas; 25 cases Bell and Black's 250 vestas; 30 cases Compton's Edam cheese; 100 cases Lea and Perrins' half-pint sauce; 390 cases Gillon's limejuice cordial; 100 cases Whybrow's half-pint salad oil; 50 cases Whybrow's pint salad oil; 50 cases Whybrow's quart salad oil; 200 cases Whybrow's quart vinegar; 25 cases Swiss cocoa and milk; 25 cases Swiss chocolate and milk; 25 cases Compton's hams; 25 cases Compton's N. W. cheese; 200 cases Colman's white starch; 300 cases Colman's ½-oz. Windsor blue; 50 cases table salt; 100 cases Heddle's raspberry balm; 79 barrels S. S. almonds; 100 cases Albert's quarter sardines; 50 cases half sardines; 150 barrels currants—John Frazer and Co.

Ex Ennerdale: 26,000 20 x 10, and 19,000 13 x 10 best Bangor slates—G. E. Crane and Son, New Pitt-street, Circular Quay.

Ex Caermarthen Castle: 300 casks K. B. S. cement; 23 rolls sheet lead; 4 tons lead pipes, all sizes; 10 kegs slate nails; 100 dozen oven tiles; 1 hogshead ironmongery—G. E. Crane and Son, City Cement Stores, New Pitt-street, Circular Quay.

Ex Lord Kinnaird: 20 cases Ransome and Sims' ploughs and plough fittings; 1 cask patent hasps and staples; 6 cases bedsteads; 1 cask galvanized rowlocks—John Keep.

Ex Malcolm, from Tasmania: 35,000 box palings, 5 and 6 feet; 8000 feet hardwood, assorted; 35 tons best bark—R. Grant.

Ex Avoca: 1 case watches, jewellery, and sterling silver—Hardie, Brothers, Hunter-street.

Ex Melbourne Steamers: 771 sacks flour—Beilby and Co.

Ex Hero (s.), transhipped: 41 casks Tahitian limejuice—Beilby and Co.

Ex Lord Kinnaird: 8 packages tesselated pavements—Beilby and Co.

EXPORTS.—NOVEMBER 15.

Katoomba (s.), for Brisbane: 2 casks beer, 57 packages tea, 45 packages tobacco, 4 packages cigars, 1 box opium, 5 cases cheese, 55 kegs butter, 94 bags potatoes, 100 bags flour, 18 packages boots, 16 casks tallow, 1 cask and 20 tubes, 30 cases drapery, 144 cases sarsaparilla, 2 bales paper, 2 cases bedsteads, 6 nests tubs, 8 packages cordage, 2 packages flax, 7 cases drugs, 136 and 29 bundles iron, 9 cases plants, 2 cases onions, 1 case guns and rifles, 1 buggy, 3 cases pictures, 2 cases salmon, 2 packages spades, 36 cart boxes, 1 cow, 1 bull, 2 horses, 3 bags bacon, 4 cases furniture, 1 package saddlery, 1 case chain, 405 cases fruit and sundries.

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City of Adelaide (s.), for Melbourne: 2800 bags rice, 7 bales hops, 115 cases preserved fruits, 5 cases glucose, 1 case cigars, 8 packages tobacco, 138 bales wool, 13 logs wood, 149 bags maize, 264 hides, 5 packages drapery, 3 cases matches, 2 baskets prawns, 30 bags oysters, 5430 cocoanuts, 469 cases fruit and sundries.

Corea (s.), for Melbourne: 40 bags rice, 40 hogsheads molasses, 175 bags maize, 38 cases fruit, 92,000 feet timber, original cargo.

Sea Nymph, brig, for New Caledonia: 33 bags 3 cases sugar, 1360 bags rice, 14 packages tobacco, 1 case cigars, 2 cases hams, 5 bales bags, 10 packages tea, 5 cases lobsters, 1 package apples, 1 case dynamite, 433 pieces and bundles pine, 2 perambulators, 3 grindstones, 1 package rum, 56 packages 6 barrels ale, 3 bales paper, 5 casks tallow, 1 case cutlery, 3 cases fancy goods, 11 cases drapery, 8 boxes pipes, 4 bundles cappings and gutterings, 1 case boots, 1 bale books, 1 bale leather, 1 shaft, 202 tons coal 2 boxes glass, 1 case hops, 160 bags biscuits, and sundries.

CUSTOM-HOUSE.—Entered Outwards, November 16: Easby (s.), 969 tons, Captain Anderson, for Wellington, Lyttelton, and Port Chalmers.

The well-known trader Damascus landed her pilot off Tor Bay July 30th, passed the Island of Madeira on August 13th, had very light winds and calms all the way; took the N.E. trades in 33° N., which were very light; crossed the Equator September 3rd, in longitude 24° west, 35 days out; had good S.E. trades. Passed the meridian of the Cape September 28, in 40° S., where she had a terrific gale at N.E., ending at S.W. Had very bad unsettled weather to the meridian of Cape Leuwin. Rounded Tasmania November 11th; arrived off the Heads November 16th, after a long and tedious passage of 108 days. On the night of 20th October a seaman named C. Bocherman, while aloft furling the mainsail, fell overboard. A boat was promptly lowered; but although away for two hours, in a heavy sea, the crew were compelled to return to the ship without being enabled to pick up the unfortunate man. The Damascus has arrived in splendid order, despite the rough usage she has received.

The Tasman (s.), hence, arrived at Hobart Town on the 14th instant at 3 p.m.

The barque Lord Kinnaird, from London, has had a tedious passage of 105 days. Very heavy weather was experienced in running down the easting, and much damage has been done on deck.

The Ly-ee-Moon (s.) cleared Port Phillip Heads at 7 p.m., passed Cape Schanck at 8.20 p.m. November 14, rounded Wilson's Promontory at 3.40 a.m., passed Gabo Island at 7 p.m. November 15, passed Cape St. George at 8.15 a.m., and entered Sydney Heads at 3.30 p.m., November 16. She experienced strong southerly breeze, with heavy sea, to Wilson's Promontory; thence light southerly breeze, veering to the northward as she approached Cape Howe, and light variable airs during the remainder of passage, which occupied 44½ hours from heads to heads.

The Easby (s.), from New Zealand, arrived at Newcastle on the 15th instant. She left Port Chalmers at 6.30 p.m. on the 5th, with N.E. winds to Lyttelton, at 3.30 p.m. on the 6th; sailed again at 4.30 p.m. same day; northerly winds to Wellington at 1.30 p.m. on the 7th; sailed at 5 p.m. the same day; had moderate head winds in Cook Straits, followed by hard westerly winds and head seas until 12th instant, followed with moderate N. and N.W. winds to arrival off Nobby's at 1 p.m. on the 15th. Passengers—Mrs. Jay and family of four, and 12 in the steerage.

The Barrabool (s.) arrived last night, from Melbourne, after a very fair passage of fifty hours, especially as the latter portion of the run was accomplished against head winds. She cleared Port Phillip Heads at 7.15 p.m. on the 15th instant; rounded Wilson's Promontory at 4.20 a.m. on the 16th; Gabo Island at 9.15 p.m. same day; passed Cape St. George at 0.30 p.m. on the 17th, and entered Sydney Heads at 9.30 p.m. She experienced light variable winds and fine weather to Montagu Island, thence strong N.E. winds and gloomy weather to arrival.

The City of Grafton (s.) left Grafton at 8 a.m. November 16, crossed the Bar at 3 p.m. same day, and entered Sydey Heads at 8.30 p.m. 17th. Experienced light N.E. breezes with hazy weather to the South Solitaires, fresh to moderate southerly breezes with head sea and thick rainy weather to the Seal Rocks, light variable winds to Newcastle, and light N.E. breezes the rest of the passage. Cargo: 775 bags maize, 30 bales wool, 78 bags tin ore, 350 mats sugar, 65 hides, 23 bags potatoes, 22 cases eggs, 78 bags oysters, 12 pigs, 3 horses.

The Diamantina (s.) crossed the Manning Bar at 10.30 a.m. November 15, arrived in Sydney at 3 p.m. 16th, experienced strong southerly winds and head sea throughout the passage. Cargo: 900 bags maize, 73 bags oysters, 15 bags sugar, 4 bags bacon, 40 cases eggs, 14 coops fowls, 70 pigs, 2 ploughs, 80 hides, 1 cask tallow.

The Balclutha (s.), Captain Beel, left Brisbane for Sydney, on Thursday, November 14th, at 4.15 p.m., and rounded Cape Moreton at 9.50 p.m., passed Cape Byron at 7.20 a.m. on Friday, the 15th, and cleared the Solitaries at 4 p.m the same day; passed Seal Rock Point on Saturday, the 16th, at 9 a.m., Port Stephens at noon, Newcastle at 2 p.m., and arrived at Sydney at 9.10 p.m. She experienced light northerly winds and sultry weather to the Solitaries; thence a sudden shift, with strong winds from south and south-west the rest of the passage.

The German barque Regina Maris left Batavia on 3rd October, and reports moderate weather. She brings a cargo of sugar.

The barque Kalaja is from Sourabaya, with sugar. She has had very light winds, and her passage has occupied 72 days.

The Lubra (s.) crossed the Clarence bar at 11.30 a.m. on the 15th instant, Smoky Cape at 2 a.m. and Seal Rocks at 7.30 p.m. on the 16th, and entered the Heads at 1.20 p.m. on the 17th. She experienced strong southerly winds throughout the passage. Cargo: 3000 bags maize, 19 pigs, 400 bags sugar, 150 bunches bananas, 45 bags silver ore, and sundries.

[BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.]

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: November 15, Woonona (s.), from Bulli; Cuzco (s.), from London; Renown, from London; Mary Blair, from Foochow; Frith of Clyde, from San Francisco; Springbok, Sea Nymph, from Newcastle; November 16, J. R. Stanhope, from Japan. Departures: November 15, Chimborazo (s.), for London; Barrabool (s.), for Sydney.

GRAFTON.—Departures: November 16, City of Grafton (s.), for Sydney.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: November 16, Adela (s.), Claud Hamilton (s.), Sydney Griffiths, Albert the Good, Ceres, from Melbourne; Emperor, from Lyttelton; Yarra, from Richmond River; Emma Jane, Scotia, from Sydney. Departures: November 16, Greyhound, for Melbourne; Southwick, for Adelaide.

SYDNEY HEADS.

DATE.	TIME.	WIND.	REMARKS.
November 16.	8.30 a.m. Noon. 5 p.m.	S. S. S.	Fine. Ditto. Cloudy.
November 17.	8.30 a.m. Noon. 5 p.m.	S. N.E. N.E.	Fine. Ditto. Cloudy.

High water at Fort Denison, November 18, 1.15 a.m.; 1.41 p.m.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.—NOVEMBER 16.

South Australia: Fine, and clear, generally very little change in barometers; at Adelaide, upper clouds coming from west. Victoria, generally fine, winds changed to W. again, barometers falling a little. New South Wales: Generally fine inland, but cloudy and threatening along the coast, with southerly winds, a S. to S.E. gale has been blowing off the coast, sending abundant clouds, but no rain; wind is S.E. at Cape George and Cassilis; N.E. at Mount Victoria; Goulburn, Murrurundi, and other stations, barometers are falling a little, and there are indications of returning warm winds. Queensland: Brisbane, fine, clear, hot; Cape Moreton, N.E., cloudy, hot, swell from N.E. 3 p.m. Observations.—Victoria: Barometers falling a little; Portland, wind W., 28, cloudy, sea smooth; Cape Otway, N.W., 18, cloudy, sea smooth; Wilson's Promontory, W., 23, fine, clear, smooth sea. New South Wales: Wentworth, E., fine, warm; Deniliquin, S., fine; Goulburn, S.E., fine; Forbes, W., fine, hot, temperature 84; Eden, N.E., 20, fine, sea smooth; Cape George, S.S.E., 30, fine; Sydney, barometer falling slowly, S.S.E., 14, cloudy, sea smooth; Newcastle, S., hazy, no sea; Port Macquarie, S.E., fine.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR NOVEMBER 18.—Sun rises at 4.48, sets at 6.43; moon rises at 12.36 a.m., sets at 11.34 a.m.; Mercury, 5.32 a.m., 7.45 p.m.; Venus, 4.42 a.m., 6.17 p.m.; Mars, 3.49 a.m., 4.58 p.m.; Jupiter, 9.36 a.m., 11.30 p.m.; Saturn, 1.52 p.m., 2.10 a.m. Full moon, 10th; new moon, 24th.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

SATURDAY EVENING.

The Customs duties received to-day were as follows:

	£	s.	d.
Spirits	£208	15	11
Wine (still)	20	4	0
Ale, porter, and beer (in bottle)	57	14	3
Cigars	12	16	3
Tea	323	10	3
Sugar (unrefined)	11	16	8
Opium	23	7	6
Rice	6	0	0
Dried fruits	121	17	8
Malt	36	9	0
Hops	0	2	9
Sarsaparilla	9	10	8
Specific duty	233	16	0
Pilotage	27	5	4
Harbour and light dues	31	8	8
Total	£1124	15	5

The Lord Kinnaird, from London, with general cargo valued at £18,700; and the Regina Maris, from Java, with 656 tons sugar, arrived to-day.

Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin will commence their Monday wool sales on the 18th instant.

From the quarterly abstract of revenue and trade returns published by the Government of New Zealand, we learn that the revenue for the three months ending 30th September, amounted to £1,130,162 7s. 8d., towards which the Customs contributed £365,487, land sales £430,517, and railways £154,935. The value of imports during the quarter was £2,603,730, the value of exports £882,295. In the latter is included gold £295,633, wool £200,110, wheat £109,790.

The Victorian banking returns for the past quarter state that the average quantity of gold and bullion held by the banks doing business in that colony was £2,315,807, against a note circulation of £1,210,720, and deposits amounting to £15,889,402. The New South Wales banks held during the same period coin and bullion representing £2,255,062, with a note circulation of £1,137,464, and a deposit liability of £16,574,730. Our banks also held Government securities representing £555,263. No Government securities appear to be held by the Victorian banks.

MONDAY MORNING.

The Damascus arrived yesterday from London with a general cargo, valued at £39,600.

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR LONDON CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 16.

Money is in less demand, and rates are drooping. The market rate for three months' bills is 4½. A reduction in the Bank minimum is expected.

The recent bullion movements are in our favour.

The Bank reserve acquires fresh strength week by week. It now amounts to £11,500,000.

The Stock markets are steady.

Consols are firm, and are now quoted at 96.

The market for Australian securities has experienced a strong revival. Victoria 4 per cent. loan, January and July, is now quoted at 94; New South Wales 4 per cent. loan, 1903, at 99; South Australian 4 per cent. loan, January and July, at 94; Queensland 4 per cent. loan, 1913, at 91½; New Zealand 5 per cent. consolidated at 102; and New Zealand 4½ per cent., February and August, at 94¾. The Egyptian loan has been fully subscribed.

The corn market is unchanged.

There has been a slight improvement in copper. The present cash quotation for Wallaroo is £69, and for Burra £66.

A more animated demand has sprung up in the tin market, and quotations now are £64 and £63.

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NOTICE.—THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A. BLAU, 9, Hunter-street, will be CLOSED TO-MORROW, on account of the Goldsmiths' Picnic.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF VICTORIA 19th September, 1878.

Before their Honors the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Barry.

WOLFE versus HART,

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The Sydney Morning Herald.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1878.

The bushranging scare which now prevails in Victoria contains as much to interest and to warn the people of this colony as it does those of Victoria. In times past the outrages of desperadoes such as GARDINER, MORGAN, and HALL, terrified the people of this colony as the crimes of the KELLYS are now terrifying our neighbours, and it is possible that periodic troubles of the kind referred to will have to be borne by the people of both colonies unless the restraints of law and the advantages of education are more generally provided for than they are at present. It would seem, however, that the length of time during which the KELLYS have set the community in which they live at defiance indicates some gross mismanagement both on the part of the Government and on that of the police. It is now more than six months since attention was drawn to the murderous attack of KELLY upon constable FITZPATRICK, the trooper who arrested him for horsestealing; but, beyond the offer of a reward for the apprehension of the principal offender, little has been done during that time to bring the Mansfield desperadoes to justice. To accomplish this, according to the *Age*, "a party of four constables, stationed in the Beechworth district, started out into the dense scrub on the 25th ultimo to apprehend two villains, who were known to be well-armed, and the elder of whom had already shown that he did not hesitate at murder. The police had only one rifle between them, in addition to their revolvers, the cases containing the latter having apparently been made with a view of consuming as much time as possible when the weapon had to be extracted. The following day, most unfortunately for themselves, they separated, and the KELLYS, with the help of two other miscreants, attacked them in detail with the fatal results we all mourn. Can it be credited that the search parties that were sent out to ascertain the whereabouts of poor KENNEDY, were so situated that the constables, seven in number, could only muster four rifles by borrowing to meet four desperate men armed to the teeth, and having in their possession a repeating Spencer rifle."

It is not surprising to find that these arch criminals are tolerated, and even assisted, not only by a set who regard them as heroes, but by criminals of a weaker class, who have caught the contagion of moral defiance in a less violent though equally dangerous form. We are told that in consequence of the spread of the bushranging spirit the decent section of the community in that part of Victoria over which the KELLYS are exerting their sway, are living in a state of insecurity and even of terror. That such a state of things as this should appear from time to time in thinly populated countries like these is hardly to be wondered at. But for all that the best means of checking the growth of such a criminal class as men like the KELLYS represent is one of the most urgent questions which politicians and philanthropists can set themselves to answer. A recent correspondent in the *Argus* points out that bushranging outrages such as those which are now being perpetrated across the Murray may be expected as long as land is taken up and occupied as it is at present. This writer states that in travelling both in Victoria and in New South Wales he had observed that selections were being seized in wild and useless regions where selectors could have no legitimate object in view, and that in consequence of this in after years, ignorant, lawless, and predatory hordes arise in different localities. Such hordes can easily provide themselves with the common necessaries of life, and set law and authority at defiance. The effect of such a system of settlement is not seen at once, but when the far interior of the colonies are peopled by these wild savages, and a system of mutual help is established, decent people are driven out of such regions and a whole army of troopers is sent against them in vain. It is not in the lifetime of the first generation that the trouble of such a state of things as this will be realised; but it is when one generation has given place to another, and a handful of outlaws has grown into a multitude.

It is difficult to deny that this picture is a far too possible one, and that it is one which the land laws of some of these colonies have done much to make a reality. The outlaws who are now having it all their own way in a portion of the district of Mansfield, are clearly showing that there are parts of Australia where civilization even in its rudest forms has scarcely any existence. Theft and murder are often the results of bad government, but in the interior of these colonies they have too often been the result of no government whatever. The desperate need for some civilising influence which will go on making itself felt in the interior of Australia has been as strongly felt elsewhere. It has been stated that the most important question raised in the report of the Indian railways for the present year is the pressing need which exists for the establishment of schools in the hills for the children of Europeans employed on the railways. In 1860, says the *Saturday Review*, Lord CANNING pointed out that, if measures for educating these children were not promptly and vigorously taken, the Government would soon find themselves "embarrassed in all large towns and stations with a floating population of Indianized English loosely brought up, exhibiting most of the worst qualities of both races."

The instruments for preventing in future such murders as those which have recently occurred near Mansfield must, so far as the State is concerned, be supplied mainly by the policeman and the schoolmaster. But the former will have to be better equipped than were the handful of troopers who went out to capture the bloodthirsty savages in the Beechworth district a few days ago. It ought not to be forgotten that an insufficient body of police, or a strong body of police insufficiently armed, is more likely to encourage and to multiply such desperadoes as the KELLYS than to terrify and to capture them. The first business of the police is to catch criminals, and the first business of law is to ensure the certainty of their punishment. As long as it is felt that the bushranger is more than a match for the policeman there will be found men who will be prepared to live on plunder and, if needs be, on bloodshed. It is very important that the law should be made clear, that Judges should be just, that juries should be impartial, and that Ministers of the Crown should be firm; but it is of primary importance that Governments should be sufficiently earnest and that police forces should be sufficiently well-organized to render a six months' triumph of scoundrels like the KELLYS in the last degree unlikely, if not impossible. No one can read the reports which have reached us respecting the wretched provision which was made for the capturing of the criminals who are still at large in the district of Mansfield without feeling that the life which has been sacrificed in connection with this affair has been sacrified unnecessarily and culpably. It is to be hoped that the lessons which such failures as this must convey will not be lost upon those who are entrusted with the management of police affairs on this side of the border; and that, if the reign of terror should again present itself here, our troopers may be able to give a better account of themselves than was given by the Victorian police a week or two since. The having no police at all is just as well as a body of troopers who are weaker than the gangs they have to capture. The other day we were told that when a band of highwaymen were reported to be in the district of St. Arnaud, the local police were under the necessity of running about to borrow rifles before they could start in pursuit. Tactics like these are not likely to catch such criminals as the KELLYS very quickly. Surely the expenditure of a little money, and the requiring of a little more skill in organizing and in bush patrolling than the heads of the Victorian police have shown of late, would more quickly arrest an evil which is a disgrace as well as an annoyance to the colonies.

In our issue of Monday last we gave some details illustrating the present condition of the municipalities of the colony as indicated by their number and revenue for the year 1877. Some of those details are so remarkable that we have been tempted to carry the investigation further, with results which will be found tabulated in another column.

The Municipalities Act now in force became law twenty years ago, when the population of the colony was 342,000—a number almost precisely equal to the population of Birmingham last census year, a little smaller than that of Manchester, and less by more than one-third than the population of Liverpool. At the close of last year, the whole colony still contained, according to the official returns, only 662,000 inhabitants, or at the rate of two people to the square mile against 276 to the square mile in the United Kingdom. It will be well to bear these figures in mind in discussing the growth of our municipal institutions, because they are essential to a proper appreciation of what has been already accomplished. The whole population is, at the present time, only equal to a first-class municipality in old and populous countries, and the relative cost of these civic and sanitary appliances which modern science and civilization recommend may be said to vary inversely with the density of the inhabitants. The figures for 1861 are very inaccurate and incomplete. In regard to the value of ratable property there seems to be a curious jumble between total value and annual value to such an extent that we have not ventured upon an attempt to solve the riddle. What does appear certain from these returns is that the colony then contained twenty-two municipalities, of which ten were metropolitan; that the City of Sydney raised £52,396 from general and special rates and had no endowment from the Government; and that the other twenty-one municipalities contributed from their own resources £17,717, and received aid from Government to the extent of £15,132, or nearly pound for pound, as the Act provides for during the first five years after the incorporation of a municipality. In proportion to the whole population of the colony, these municipal revenues were equal to 4s. from the taxpayers and 10d. from Government, or both together 4s. 10d. per head for the year in question.

For the year 1866 the returns are a little more definite, though far from complete. In our table on the opposite page we have taken the total value at twelve-and-a-half times the annual value, which seems to be the rule for the general average of these returns, although there are many inexplicable variations. During this quinquennium twelve new municipalities were called into existence, four of them in the suburbs of the metropolis, and eight in the country; the city increased its total rates by nearly one-fourth without endowment from Government, and for the other municipalities the endowment was equal to half the total rates. For the year 1866 the sewerage rate was collected in Sydney to the amount of £5005, as it ought to have been collected ever since, according to the 78th clause of the Municipalities Act, which empowers the Council of any municipality to levy special rates for sewerage, water, and lighting. The aggregate of local rates for that year was equal to 4s. 6d. per head of the whole population of the colony, and the Government endowment to 8d. per head, or altogether 5s. 2d., an increase of about seven per cent. on the proportion of local revenue raised in 1861.

The succeeding quinquennium, ending with 1871, shows a still greater progress. Nine new suburban and twelve country municipalities came into existence during that period; the ratable property was increased by six millions in total value and by £368,073 in annual value, although Sydney added only £29,185 to the declared annual value of its ratable property, or less than six thousand pounds per annum for an increase of nearly two thousand in the number of ratepayers. Taken in proportion to the total population of the colony, the total value of ratable property was equal to £41 per head, the annual value to £3, the local rates to 4s. 6d., and the Government endowment to 1s. per head, including ten thousand pounds to the Corporation of Sydney from the water and sewerage fund in lieu of endowment. The sewerage rate was still yielding £2568 for that year, and the water rate had risen to £31,725.

Coming next to the year 1876, it will be seen that during the quinquennium five new suburban and seventeen country municipalities were created, the ratable property increased in total value by over five millions, and in annual value by £446,813, the two being in proportion to the whole population of the colony equal to £42 and £3 4s. per head respectively. The local rates were equal to 4s. 10d. and the Government grants to 9d. per head, an increase of about eight per cent. on the proportionate local revenue of 1866. But for the whole eleven years the increase in the annual ratable value of city property was only £54,017 for an addition of about four thousand ratepayers to the citizens' roll. No other evidence is necessary to prove that the assessment must have been grossly unfair. With a rate of only a shilling in the pound, and an assessment equal to little more than half the fair annual value of city property, is it any wonder that the Council has had an insufficient revenue, and has had constantly to appear before Ministers and the Parliament, to beg for public money. It is unworthy of a great metropolis to set such an example to the other municipalities of the colony, and we do not believe that the intelligence, independence, and public spirit of the great body of the citizens have been fairly represented by those who have so persistently discouraged the spirit of self-help.

Finally, take the returns for 1877, as presented in our summary. In one year four millions has been added to the total value of ratable property, and £351,913 to the annual value, although only two new municipalities were called into existence—Manly, with ratable property assessed at £15,790 per annum, and Plattsburg, at £17,533. The increase for the city of Sydney is remarkable. In 1876 it was assessed at an annual value of £757,000, an increase, as previously pointed out, of only about five thousand pounds per annum upon the assessment made eleven years previously. But for last year it was assessed at £947,000, an increase of £190,000 in a single year, or about forty times the rate of increase previously prevailing. Was this done on purpose to get a larger share of the special Parliamentary grants voted for that year? At all events the assessors cannot now go back upon their own returns; and by increasing the assessment to the extent of 25 per cent. in a single year they have either set a precedent for future increases, or they have condemned the assessments of past years. By this one stroke of the pen they have made the city rate worth ten thousand a year more than it was before. Reducing the whole to a *per capita* standard, the municipal property of the colony as now declared is equal to a total value of £46 per head of the whole population, and an annual value of £3 12s. 4d. per head, with local rates equal to 5s. 6d. and a Government grant for the year equal to 4s. 5d. per head—an increase of proportionate municipal revenue amounting to 105 per cent. on the rate of 1861, or about 37 per cent. exclusive of the Government grant. It is evident, therefore, that during the last sixteen years very considerable progress has been made in the direction of local self-government, and that progress would have been far greater if the discretionary powers conferred by the Act had been more largely used by the municipal bodies. Still it is creditable to the colony to have created in a few years thirty millions of municipal property, and to have also created a public opinion on such matters which will not rest until the whole colony has been brought within reach of the incalculable benefits conferred by efficient municipal institutions.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The overland line was interrupted on Saturday north of Powell's Creek. Communication was, however, restored yesterday, and we have received cable news from London to Saturday. There is nothing in it to show that the European situation has materially altered, either towards war or peace, during the last few days. Russia is said to be supporting a French intervention on behalf of the Greek claims for a rectification of frontier, but previous telegrams have rather tended to the belief that France is animated with anything but a desire to interfere in Eastern quarrels. The money market, which is usually regarded as a good criterion of the probabilities of peace or war, is in a more satisfactory condition than it has been in since the Glasgow Bank and other subsequent failures. Money is in less demand, rates are drooping, and the Bank reserve is acquiring day by day fresh strength. Consols are now being quoted at 96. The market for Australian securities has greatly revived. New South Wales 4 per cents have risen 1 per cent. since last week, and are now quoted at 99. The metal markets also show a still further improvement.

IN reference to public examinations for prizes in connection with the University the following resolution, passed by the Senate, is published for general information:—"In conformity with the usual practice the Senate resolves that no candidate at the public examinations shall be entitled to take the same prize more than once." It is extracted from the "Sydney University Calendar for 1878-79."

THE team of riflemen to represent Victoria in the match between that colony and New South Wales have arrived. Captain Blannin, the secretary of the Victoria Rifle Association, arrived per Leura on Friday. A portion of the team (thirteen) with whom was Major Sleep, arrived on Saturday morning, having come overland. Major Templeton, whom, we understand, is the captain of the team, will also arrive overland this morning; the remaining seventeen arrived in the Barrabool. They are staying at the Exchange and Oxford, and appear none the worse for the journey. Some few paid a visit to the rifle range on Saturday and complimented sergeant Murray on the completeness of his arrangements. They will commence practice to-day, and for the remainder of the week will be giving undivided attention to the Henry and Martini-Henry rifles. The match will be fired on Monday and Tuesday next. The names of the party are as follows:—Major Templeton, Major Sleep, Captain Christopherson, Captain Blannin, Lieutenants Lang and Spyer; Messrs. Aldershaw, Burston, Hall, Clarke, Gow, Powell, M'Farlane, Newenham, Meads, Illingsworth, Wood, Dubberlin, Murray, Draper, Colley, Bennett, Kerr, Pitt, Grant, Ross, Allan, O'Brien, Thimbelby, Stock, Wilcox, and Lancaster. These will be supplemented in a day or two by the following members of the Metropolitan Corps, Melbourne, viz., Messrs. Moir, Slattery, Simpson, Watton, M'Innes, and Watters, who with four others in the intercolonial team will fire a match against No. 1 Company, and perhaps the Kiama Company during the meeting. These matches will be a novelty, being the first of the kind fired, giving a proof that although the Volunteer element is being, as some say, snuffed out, there is a considerable amount of fire left in the movement.

WE are requested to remind persons who have not entered for the Rifle Association matches that they can do so this evening, at 10, O'Connell-street, where the secretary will be in attendance between the hours of 4 and 5, and 7.30 and 9 o'clock.

On Saturday afternoon there was a race between Deronda, Lizzie, and Bronte, first-class boats of the Sydney Amateur Sailing Club. The course was from moorings in Farm Cove, round two buoys off Manly, round boat off Fort Macquarie, round Fort Denison, and back to boat off Fort Macquarie. The boats were handicapped, the Deronda allowing the Lizzie four and the Bronte five minutes. The start took place at 3 o'clock, and the boats went away with a light south south-west wind. Lizzie led several lengths at Lady Macquarie's Chair, Bronte being more than a length in front of Deronda. At Bradley's Head Bronte closed up on Lizzie, and at George's Head held a slight lead, Deronda being near to Lizzie. Lizzie then sailed better, and at Middle Head held a lead of fully five lengths. She set a square-sail for the run to Manly, and secured a commanding lead, when the boat was rounded there. Meeting the wind then Lizzie stood across to Dobroyde, and Bronte and Deronda went about in the middle of the bay. Bronte again stood out from the land, and almost cleared Middle Head. Meanwhile Lizzie stood under the Quarantine ground, made a short leg, and stood out to sea. Deronda made a splendid board from Little Manly clearing Middle Head, but did not appear to be travelling. When the boats got into line for the run down the harbour, Bronte was found to have got the best of the tacking, Lizzie to windward, and Deronda 200 yards astern. Bronte increased her lead, and rounded the boat off Fort Macquarie fifty-five seconds before Lizzie, who was two minutes ahead of Bronte. The run to and from Fort Denison made scarcely any change, except that Lizzie, catching a squall somewhat earlier than Bronte, drew upon her slightly, the race finishing as follows:—Bronte, 5 h. 7 min. 15 sec.; Lizzie, 5 h. 7 min. 50 sec.; and Deronda, 5 h. 9 m. 50 sec. Bronte thus won without time allowance.

UNDER the auspices of the Political Reform Union, a public meeting is advertised to be held in the Guild Hall, this evening, to protest against the influx of Chinese into the colony.

A LECTURE on "The Chinese Invasion" was delivered at Wallsend by Mr. J. R. Maclean, J.P., of Sydney, on Wednesday evening. He regarded the Chinese immigration as objectionable on moral and social grounds. He thought, however, the chief objection would be found to be on economic grounds, their interference with the labour of the colonies; and he pointed to the employment of Chinamen on board some of our steamships to the exclusion of Britith seamen as evidence of a disposition on the part of capitalists to favour the introduction of this objectionable social element. He urged that the colonists, having a regard to their best interests, and the maintenance of a national character, should seriously consider the subject, and take steps to prevent the Chinese invasions.

LARRIKINISM of a very pronounced type appears to be spreading at North Shore. Types of the class so prevalent now are generally to be found on board the late boats, especially on Saturday and Sunday evenings. Some of them lately obtained diversion by bursting open the doors of an empty church, and smashing all the windows with stones. Large blocks of sandstone forming the retaining wall over a bridge in Miller-street have been pushed over into the creek below, and more recently great damage has been done to the young trees in the reserve. A few days ago the Mayor, when making his diurnal inspection, found that more than a dozen New Caledonian pines (Cookii) had had the centre shoots cut short off. Nothing but pure viciousness could have induced any person to destroy those trees, and as the reserve is intended to benefit all the inhabitants of the Shore it is to be hoped that all householders there will help to suppress vandalism of this kind.

A FIRE, which, but for the prompt action of the Insurance Brigade and Volunteer fire companies, would have doubtless been attended with most disastrous effects, occurred in the Commercial Hotel, Pitt-street, yesterday morning. The fire was first discovered by a lodger in the hotel, named Herbert Rice, who was awoken at about 4.30 a.m. by hearing a loud noise, and on getting out of bed he saw the flames coming under the door of his bedroom, which was near the landing on the first floor. Immediately, on seeing the flames, Rice shouted "fire," and at the same time, constable O'Sullivan, who was passing in the street, saw smoke issuing from a window. He broke open the front door, gave the alarm, which was quickly responded to by several engines from the various stations, and the conflagration was extinguished before it could spread to the adjoining buildings. The ceilings of the parlour and bar were almost totally destroyed, as well as a good deal of the furniture. The fire is supposed to have originated in a small chiffonier, in which was a quantity of wax matches, and which stood in the parlour behind the bar. Mr. Henry Zeplin, the landlord, estimates the damage to the stock and furniture at £400, and that to the building at £200. The building is the property of Mr. A. Campbell, of Woollahra, and it is not at present known to the police whether it was insured or not, but the stock was insured for £2000 in the North German Office.

A SAD fatal accident occurred at Paddington yesterday. A little boy, named George M'Cracken, 3 years old, the son of Alexander M'Cracken, of South Head Road, Paddington, died at his parents' residence, last evening, from injuries caused by a board falling on his head. It appears that, while playing in the yard during the afternoon, the child ran against a plank which was resting against the wall of the house, causing it to fall on his head. The blow was a severe one, and rendered him insensible. Drs. Quaife and Bedford were called in, but without avail, death intervening about three hours after the occurrence.

AT the inquest held on Saturday, at the Brecknock Arms Hotel, concerning the death of Peter Lawson, an account of the finding of whose body in Darling Harbour appeared in a previous issue, the jury returned a verdict of "Found drowned, without any marks of violence on his person." No fresh particulars were elicited except that the deceased was addicted to drink, and had been drinking pretty heavily for the last ten days.—The adjourned inquest on the body of the female infant found at Redfern two weeks back will be concluded to-day at the Brecknock Arms Hotel. Jurymen in the case will do well to be punctual.

THE man who fell dead in Hyde Park on Friday has since been identified as James Delaney, a tailor, who resided at 12, Smithers-lane. An inquest will be dispensed with, a medical examination having shown the cause of death to be disease of the heart.

A DRAMATIC entertainment, in aid of the Balmain Brass Band, was given on Wednesday night last, at the Oddfellows' Hall of that borough. There was a very large audience. The piece performed was "Poynet Ardenne's Vengeance." The Paddington Good Templar Band, under the direction of Mr. J. Douglas, their instructor, played selections between the different parts of the entertainment, which was evidently enjoyed by those present.

THE stakes for the Victoria Racing Club Spring Meeting were payable at the offices of the club on Wednesday. The greatest winner at the meeting is Mr. E. Lee, who receives £1885 for the Maribyrnong Plate, won by Nellie. Mr. E. De Mestre comes next with £1790 for the Melbourne Cup, won by Calamia. Mr. Johnson-Boe receives £1459, of which £1130 is for Wellington's victory in the Derby. Mr. M. Loughlin receives £710 for the Hurdle Race and Steeplechase, won by Lord Harry and Lone Hand. Mr. H. J. Bowler receives £710, of which £660 is for the Oaks, won by Melita. Mr. J. Paterson has £620 for Warlock's victories in the Royal Park Stakes and Canterbury Plate, and for being second in the Derby. Mr. C. B. Fisher has £699, of which £459 is for the Mares' Produce Stakes, won by His Lordship. The Hon. J. White gets £479 for the Melbourne Stakes and Spring Handicap, won by Chester and Soothsayer respectively. The other winners are Mr. Rawlinson, £398; Mr. T. Ivory, £390; Mr. W. Forrester, £340; Mr. J. Eales, £295; Mr. C. M. Lloyd, £215; and Mr. R. Baldwin, £245. These sums, with the place money, make up a total of £11,249 10s.—"Argus."

REFERRING to the New Britain massacre, and the Rev. Mr. Brown's retaliation, the "Fiji Times" says:—"Two English ships of war have lately visited New Britain, and the captains have rigidly investigated the whole affair in which Mr. Brown was engaged. They have met natives and traders, of whom they made most searching inquiries relative to the matter. One of those gentlemen gave Mr. Brown full permission to tell anyone that in his opinion he had done quite right, and had saved the mission, and the lives of the traders as well. Mr. Brown has suffered considerably from repeated attacks of fever; but a cruise for three weeks in one of the ships of war, which the captain kindly invited him to take, has been beneficial. Mrs. Brown, who with three children was left on the mission station, suffered no annoyance from the natives during Mr. Brown's absence, which clearly showed that those prophets who have predicted nothing but evil from Mr. Brown's expedition last April will probably have some misgivings as to the solidity of the ground upon which they have stood." Eight more native teachers of Fiji volunteered to go to New Britain, and are probably now on their way to join Mr. Brown.

SOME excellent yields of wool have been reported this season. The "Dubbo Dispatch" of Friday states that among the sheep recently shorn at the Murrawombie shed (Messrs. W. and T. Richardson's) were 5000 ewes, which cut on an average 7 lbs. 6 oz. of greasy wool. The dirt was remarkably light, nothing like the usual per-centage, and hence this yield must be considered first-rate. The sheep have been bred on the station, and are the result of the labours for years of Messrs. Richardson to produce on the saltbush country an animal in every sense suited to the climate and soil and profitable to the owner. In their efforts to gain this end, they have gone to work on an intelligent system, and in working out their scheme have spared neither expense nor trouble. For many years past they have purchased at long prices the pick of the Havilah and Lowes rams, and by judicious use of the animals, a liberal culling of their flocks, and a careful consideration of the results, they have now been able to shear an average of 7 lbs. 6 oz. of clean greasy wool from a flock of 5000 ewes—an average which would have reached 8 lbs. if the season from last shearing to March had been anything like it has been since. Messrs. Richardson have shown very conclusively that while it is impossible to grow the very fine Mudgee wool in our hot saltbush country, that a merino sheep with a fleece as valuable can be produced. The saltbush sheep, as bred by the proprietors of Murrowombie, is a large-framed heavy animal, giving a large surface to be shorn. A Mudgee sheep will cut, perhaps, in the grease 4 lbs. of wool worth 1s. 6d. per lb. He may cut 2 lbs. of spout-washed wool, worth 3s. 6d. per lb., but the saltbush merino—the Murrowambie sheep will cut 7 lbs., say, of greasy wool at 1s. per lb., or 4 lbs. of washed wool at 1s. 10d. per lb. So that the quality may not be so fine, the quantity makes up for whatever is lost in that respect, and the increased weight of carcase gives a good margin in favour of the saltbush merino.

THE MUNICIPALITIES OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

Last week the Colonial Secretary gave notice of his intention to bring in a bill to amend the Municipalities Act of 1858. As it may be of some importance to ascertain what that Act has done towards the development of municipal institutions in the colony, the following tables have been prepared from official figures, for the purpose of showing the number and financial resources of those institutions at several dates sufficiently removed from each other to afford scope for progress. In the official figures there are several mistakes that are apparent upon simple inspection, and these have been corrected below. It is possible there may be other errors not so obvious, and it is unfortunate that a little more care is not taken by the responsible authorities in preparing documents that must form the basis of political discussion, especially as those documents are never accessible to the public till their information is nine or ten months old. But in the main, we believe the following tabular statement will be found substantially correct, and its principal points of interest are discussed in our leader of to-day. It includes all sources of income except loans, and in the case of the city of Sydney the revenue derived from rents, fees, dues, and similar payments not directly made by the ratepayers, and which amounted to about £17,000 for last year.

	Total value.	Annual value.	Local rates, &c.	Government grant.
1861.				
1 Sydney	returns	worthless	£52,396	—
9 Suburbs	returns	worthless	9,699	£8,186
12 Country	returns	worthless	8,018	6,946
22 Total	Returns	Worthless	£70,113	£15,132
1866.				
1 Sydney	£8,785,000	£702,983	£67,071	—
13 Suburbs	2,727,000	218,158	14,351	£6,397
20 Country	3,465,000	277,154	14,890	7,642
34 Total	£14,977,000	£1,198,295	£96,312	£14,039
1871.				
1 Sydney	£9,152,000	£732,168	£73,426	£10,000
23 Suburbs	5,951,181	373,352	18,913	6,509
32 Country	6,892,449	460,848	23,168	9,040
56 Total	£21,995,630	£1,566,368	£115,507	£25,549
1876.				
1 Sydney	9,402,500	£757,000	£85,298	—
27 Suburbs	7,577,089	535,468	23,878	7,310
49 Country	9,268,956	720,713	33,165	16,299
77 Total	£26,309,145	£2,013,181	£152,341	£23,609
1877.				
1 City	£11,750,000	£947,000	£101,446	£58,143
23 Suburbs	8,709,473	616,633	36,333	34,270
50 Country	9,820,209	801,461	44,473	52,606
74 Total	£30,279,682	£2,365,094	£182,252	£145,019

TORPEDO EXPERIMENTS.

Some very interesting and highly successful experiments were made on Saturday afternoon by the members of the Torpedo Corps, at Middle Harbour. The company, to the number of seventy in all, assembled at the Circular Quay at a quarter-past 2 o'clock, and marched on board the steam launch Prince of Wales, which had been chartered to convey them to the scene of operations. The company was commanded by Major Cracknell, under whom were Captain Walker, Lieutenant Wilson, Sergeant-major M'Gregor, and Colour-sergeant M'Guire. The steamer having taken in tow the large jolly-boat belonging to the corps, and a dingy, proceeded to Middle Harbour, where, having rounded the Spit, anchor was cast. The jolly boat, which contained the torpedoes and a reel on which was coiled a long length of the electric cable, was manned, and a large torpedo, containing 250 lbs. of gun cotton, was sunk, at some distance from the shore, in 20 feet of water. The cable, which had previously been attached to the torpedo, was then taken ashore, after which the battery and other apparatus having been landed, the members of the company were taken to terra firma, and formed up in military order while the necessary preliminary arrangements were made. The battery, consisting of 28 Leclanche's cells, was arranged on a table, and connected by wire with two other tables at some little distance, each intended to represent one of the stations which will be occupied by the corps when their services are called into actual requisition. All being ready, and a fuse having been exploded as a test that the apparatus was in proper working order, Major Cracknell addressed the men, in explanation of the subsequent proceedings. At the station where the corps was at that moment supposed to be, a theodolite was fixed, through which an observer could take the bearings of any hostile vessel, and see when she crossed the lines along which the torpedoes are placed. As soon as the enemy was on the line the observer would inform the second station of the fact by signal through the electric wire. The observer at the second station immediately traces the course of the ship by means of the telescope attached to his theodolite. This telescope, however, carries with it a long arm, so arranged that when the telescope is brought into the position which indicates that the ship is over the torpedo, the long arm automatically brings the wires into contact, completes the circuit, and explodes the torpedo. Consequently, your enemy is immediately blown to pieces. This mode of operating is known as "firing by cross-bearings." To show how small would be the chance of an enemy making his escape, it may be mentioned that there will be four lines of torpedoes radiating from signal station No. 1, and at distances of every 120 feet along each of these lines will be placed "twin torpedoes"—that is, two torpedoes, one at each end of a 20 feet beam of wood. All of these will be fixed in known positions, so that the "cross bearings," from the two stations will indicate with unerring certainty what particular torpedo a ship is over, and the apparatus is self-acting, so that the observer cannot have any doubt about the matter, or explode the wrong torpedo by mistake. All this having been explained, Major Cracknell proceeded to illustrate his remarks by actual experiment. A wooden float bearing a flag had been moored above the torpedo. The flag was supposed to represent a fillibustering ship. Directly the telescope was brought to bear upon the flag, the armature brought the wires into contact, and a grand and most thrilling explosion ensued. Tons and tons of water were projected an immense distance into the air—probably to the height of over 100 feet; these bubbled and foamed all around in gradually widening circles; the sandbank, at a distance of about five hundred yards, where the company were stationed, shook and trembled as though an earthquake had taken place; and a miniature tidal wave rushed up along the shore almost as far as high-water mark. Myriads of fish of all kinds were either killed or stunned by the explosion, and became an easy prey, not only to those who pulled up to the spot in boats, but also to the members of the corps, many of whom, regardless of the consequences to their uniforms, gallantly charged the waves, and captured heaps of unresisting fish. It was evident that no ship in the world could have withstood the effects of so tremendous an explosion, and those who witnessed it could only feel glad that there was no enemy there to experience it—for the enemy's sake, of course. Subsequently a smaller torpedo was exploded, with effects destructive in proportion. The shades of evening now having commenced to darken the scene, the signal was given for return, the party re-embarked, and in due time reached the Circular Quay in safety, where the men were dismissed in the usual military style.

The sale of whole of the elegant household furniture and effects at Moira, Burwood, the residence of Mr. L. M. Harrison, will take place this day, Monday, at 11 o'clock. Hardie and Gorman, auctioneers.—ADV.

PICNIC AT GEORGE'S RIVER.

Several members of Parliament and other gentlemen were indebted to the hospitality of Mr. Lucas, M.L.A., for the opportunity of seeing George's River under exceptionably favourable circumstances on Saturday last. Among the gentlemen who formed the party were Sir John Robertson, K.C.M.G., M.L.A.; Mr. Greenwood, M.L.A.; Mr. R. B. Smith, M.L.A.; Mr. Hurley (Hartley), M.L.A.; Mr. Copeland, M.L.A.; Mr. J. Davies, M.L.A.; Mr. Hoskins, M.L.A.; Mr. Bowman, M.L.A.; Mr. Clarke, M.L.A.; Mr. Greville, M.L.A.; Mr. Hungerford, M.L.A.; Mr. Eckford, M.L.A.; Mr. Thompson, M.L.A.; his Honor Mr. District Court Judge Dowling; Mr. A. Garran, LL.D.; Mr. W. A. Brodribb, F.R.G.S.; Mr. S. W. Jones (Clerk of the Legislative Assembly), Mr. L. G. Thompson (Mayor of Burwood), Mr. D. Holborrow (Mayor of Ashfield), Mr. Stanley (Mayor of Redfern), Mr. Percy Lucas (Mayor of Camperdown), Mr. Fraser (Mayor of Leichhardt), Mr. Kiss (Mayor of Randwick), Mr. Macpherson (Mayor of Waverley), Mr. Hogan (Mayor of Waterloo), Mr. Braid (Mayor of Macdonald Town), Mr. Pfoeffer (Mayor of Marrickville), Mr. M'Innes (Alderman, West Botany), Mr. Leeder (Council-clerk, St. Peter's), Mr. Pidcock (Council-clerk, Camperdown), Messrs. F. J. Owen, James Thornton, Biggar, Alfred Bennett, Alderman Fowler, Messrs. Brunker, Randolph Nott, and others.

The party started from the Royal Hotel at about a quarter past 9 o'clock, and proceeded to Botany in well-horsed vehicles. Arriving there, the steamer Princess, which had gone round from Sydney during the night was found lying off the jetty, and as soon as the party embarked they were taken round the bay and up George's River. The views of this magnificent estuary had never before been seen by most of those present, and as the steamer rounded the various headlands there was a never-failing source of interest in the exquisitely beautiful expanse of water stretching away in the distance. The scenery of the river is very similar to that of Middle Harbour in the general contour of the shore line, but the water way is more extensive and, if possible, more picturesque. A railway to Illawarra would make this romantic locality a suburb of Sydney; and, at no distant date, it may be expected that the wooded headlands which now form the margin of the stream will be crowned with villas, and the residences of well-to-do citizens, who will retire to these lovely solitudes, George's River becoming in some sort an Australian Rhine. Mr. Lucas, as is well-known, has taken a warm interest in the question as to the best sources from which to draw the future water supply for the city and suburbs; and that gentleman was not slow to direct the attention of his friends to the natural advantages of George's River for the purpose.

The ride to Botany in the face of a cool south-easterly wind invigorated the appetites of most of the excursionists, and it is not remarkable, therefore, that they were prepared to enter upon the consumption of oysters and bottled beer with great zest. The vessel steamed up the river for about eleven miles, when it was deemed expedient, owing to the low state of the tide, to return. A sumptuous lunch was served on deck, and when the appetites of the party had been appeased,

Mr. LUCAS, M.L.A., proposed the toast of "The Queen," which was honoured in the customary manner.

Sir JOHN ROBERTSON then proposed, in complimentary terms the health of Mr. Lucas, and the toast having been drunk with some hearty cheering,

Mr. LUCAS returned thanks. He said it afforded him great satisfaction to find that they had been able to view the beautiful scenery of George's River to so much advantage, and that the trip had been so pleasant. His great object in taking them there was to show them the river, for, as they knew, he had taken a great interest in the George's River water scheme. He did not wish them to imagine that he was actuated in this matter solely by patriotic feelings; he was influenced to a great extent by the effect it would have upon his pocket. (Laughter.) He had some 360 rooms to supply with water, and he was convinced that if the water were drawn from the George's River it would cost not more than 2s. a room, but if it were drawn from the Upper Nepean it would cost above 18s. a room, and that would be £200 a year out of his pocket. As it would be with him so it would be with every citizen of Sydney. And what would be the effect on the manufactories? The Sugar House used to pay £800 a year for its supply of water, and if the rate were increased in proportion to the supply for our rooms that industry would have to pay £3400 a year for the water it required. Would manufactories remain in Sydney under circumstances of that kind? No; they would go to the rivers in the north or in the south where they could get water free, and where the engines and machinery went the men would follow, and where the men went business would go. He conscientiously believed that if the water was brought from the Upper Nepean it would ruin the city of Sydney, and for that reason he took a deep interest in the George's River scheme. He acknowledged there was something selfish in it, but that selfishness affected every individual in Sydney as much as it affected him. The George's River scheme could be tested for less than £100,000, and seeing this river, and the large watershed of 376 miles of gathering ground which would pour its supplies into this magnificent reservoir, should we go 63 miles, he asked, to bring our water through and over some most dangerous structures? The proposed great dam at Prospect was to be eighty feet high and a mile and a half long, with no support to hold back 49,000,000 tons of water. Such a structure as that never should be built. We had proof that dams twenty feet high burst, and caused immense loss of life; and what was likely to occur from a structure eighty feet high? As sure as it was built it would burst, and half the people in Parramatta would be drowned. The George's River scheme could be tested in a very short time; he was convinced that the water would be fresh in twelve months. He erected a dam similar to the one he proposed for the George's River, but smaller, for the Sugar Company, across Cook's River, and in three weeks the water was perfectly fresh, and in six weeks it was used for drinking purposes. (Cheers.)

Mr. LUCAS, again rising, said that he was now going to propose the health of a gentleman we had known for many years, and known to him for a quarter of a century—Sir John Robertson. (Cheers.) He had fought shoulder to shoulder with him for a quarter of a century, and shoulder to shoulder on the Land Bill. They had been at cross purposes; when the hon. gentleman did what he (Mr. Lucas) considered was not for the good of the country he opposed him, but upon liberal and great measures they had been together. Upon one great question—that of the administration of the land laws of the colony—they never differed. They fought together upon that question twenty years ago, and a few days hence they would engage in another fight—(hear, hear)—as severe a fight too, he thought, as they had in 1860. Let Sir John Robertson be whatever he might his great object was to benefit the country. (Cheers.) None of us were perfect; we all made mistakes, and he thought his hon. friend had made some; but on the great question of a liberal land measure he never had been wrong. His great object was to settle the people on the lands of the colony, and to do justice to both squatters and free selectors. (Cheers.)

Mr. BRODRIBB said that before the toast was drunk he must express his belief in the honest intentions of Sir John Robertson with regard to the Land Bill. He believed that hon. gentleman to have been as honest as the sun in proposing the Land Bill which now was law, and he was sure he would be equally as honest in opposing the bill now before the House. (Cheers.)

The toast was drunk with cheers and musical honours.

Sir JOHN ROBERTSON, in responding, said he was rather startled not only by his health being proposed, but by the political turn which the picnic was taking. (Laughter.) He was under the impression that it was not quite right to go deeply into politics at gatherings of this sort; but he thanked Mr. Lucas for the kind manner in which he had spoken of him, and also his old friend, who at one time was among the squatters who did not approve of his actions. But however they may have disapproved of what he had done, he did not think any one of them ever charged him with dishonesty—(cheers)—or with any intention to act wrongly towards their interests, or towards the interests of any class in the community. Whatever abuse he had received—and no man had received more—it had never taken the direction of accusing him of dishonesty. He had been a persistent upholder of the opinions which he took to Parliament with him, and which he now held. (Hear, hear.) He had not shrunk away from them, but had held by them, and had not changed his views. If gentlemen of the Radicals of Sydney objected to him now, and gentlemen of the Conservatives of Sydney approved of him, it was only because the world went on and he had remained steadfast and true to the views he first put forward. (Hear, hear, and laughter.) It was not his fault; it was not the fault of his opinions that sometimes the Radical party had looked upon him as a heaven-born legislator while the Conservative party condemned him, or that at other times the Radical party had thought him their enemy, while the Conservative party had considered whether it was not better to accept him with all his faults. (Hear, hear.) It was not his fault—he had been always right.—(cheers and laughter)—and the proof of it was that the most intelligent, best informed, and most experienced people of this country, connected with the lands, would sooner trust him with them now than any other man in the country. (Cheers.) But whether right or not he had never thought of his own interest. (Hear, hear.) Whatever he had done had been done faithfully, honestly, fearlessly, and jealously to uphold what he thought was right. (Hear, hear.) He had not feared to attack big and powerful people; and he had done all he could to act fairly with all. He might have done wrong sometimes. He was an exceedingly irritable person, though not unkind; prone to believe that any offence was intended when perhaps the offence was not intended; quick in answer, and caring very little what consequences resulted to himself from the answer he gave to those who he thought did not act fairly with him. He frequently regretted it afterwards; he was not a man who did not care to admit that he had said things which he afterwards regretted. (Hear, hear). But he had never taken a line of action in public life which he regretted afterwards. (Hear, hear.) That, however, was not what they came to the George's River for. They had come to look at a means of water supply, and to assure themselves that this scheme was a thoroughly good one for the city of Sydney. But his hon. friend had given them no chance of testing the water, seeing that he had provided plenty of champagne to drink. (Laughter.) He never was great upon water—(laughter)—and he was afraid his opinion upon water was not a very valuable one. (Laughter.) He dared say that few men in public life knew so little of water. (Laughter.) He valued it for bathing purposes, or for qualifying a little pale brandy—(laughter)—but he had never been given to drinking very much water, and consequently, whether the water in George's River was salt or fresh or brackish it had very little to do with him. (Laughter.) Therefore, in proposing Mr. Lucas' health he said nothing about the water or the water supply. (Laughter and cheers).

Several other toasts were proposed and responded to, and the party returning to the pier at Botany in good time, were conveyed safely back to Sydney, after having spent a very enjoyable day.

AMUSEMENTS.

The entertainment at the Victoria Theatre on Saturday night consisted of a reproduction of "One o'clock, or the Knight and the Wood Demon," and a comic drama. The first of these was excellent in character and fairly played, but the second was only commendable from the fact of Mr. Edmund Holloway successfully undertaking in it the impersonation of one of his favourite characters—that of a sailor. The audience was large and some sections of it so enthusiastic in expressing their approval or disapproval of some of the actors' efforts that the success of the performances was considerably and unfavourably affected. The first piece here referred to is an effort of the late Mark Lemon's, at one time editor of London *Punch*, and it is the result of such efforts as it would have pleased that gentleman's genial mind to exercise. It is a fabrication in which legend, romance, sentiment, and humour are so cleverly and subtly blended that neither element appears predominant. It would be difficult to determine whether Mr. Lemon wrote this melodrama in a humourous or a serious vein, or whether he intended it for a comedy or a drama; but certain it is that it would provide excellent material for a pantomime, the moral of which might be that evil proceedings invariably recoil on those who conceive them. The story of the play is to the effect that a certain human being, disfavoured by birth and disfigured by nature, undertakes to provide a human sacrifice at one o'clock on a fixed day every year for a wood demon, who gives him riches and power for doing so. There is, of course, a horrible penalty attached to this agreement, and it is to the effect that unless the sacrifice is punctually provided, the knight not only resumes his former ugliness, but is to be appropriated to infernal purposes. It will thus be seen that there is a mixture of Faust, Don Giovanni, Der Freischutz, and the Veiled Prophet of Khorassan in the drama, the punishment of the evil genius of the play being very similar to those awarded in the instances referred to, but arising from somewhat different causes. The first act of the play is devoted almost exclusively to an introduction of the personages whose actions go to make up the plot. The victim of the Knight, in his last effort to propitiate the demon, is a dumb boy, a relative of Una, the Knight's affianced bride. Una is unaware of the Knight's true character, but Clotilda, her sister, has heard of it, and discovers the plot against the boy. A scheme is elaborated for getting the boy Leolyn out of harm's way, but the Knight becomes cognisant of it and locks the boy in the secret cavern his former victims were sacrificed in. Una releases the boy just as the Knight enters to kill him. The Knight thereupon informs Una that she must be sacrificed instead of the escaped Leolyn, but the boy, whose quick perception has taken in all the circumstances of the scenes enacted around him, pushes forward the hands of the clock the Knight is taking his time by; the clock strikes one, and as there has been no sacrifice, the inexorable wood demon seizes the Knight and descends with him to regions better imagined than described. These interesting details were set forth in a comprehensible manner, and the audience in all parts of the theatre applauded most of them with much fervour. Mr. E. Holloway took the part of the wicked knight, Miss Anstead that of the unfortunate Una, Miss Holloway that of Clotilda, Miss Daniels that of Paulina, and Miss B. Murray that of Leolyn. Mr. Bland Holt undertook the role of "Willikind," the humorous individual of the plot; and the remaining characters were apportioned as the strength of the company would permit. All the actors played with evenness and manifest care, but the efforts of none of them call for special commendation. The second piece, entitled "A Middy on Shore," was completely marred by interruptions, having their origin amongst the "gods;" and, therefore, it is impossible to say whether it would have been a success or no.

That excellent specimen of a melodrama of the good old school "Jonathan Bradford, or the Murder at the Roadside Inn," was produced at the Queen's Theatre on Saturday evening. Mr. Booth, as Jonathan Bradford, and Miss Kate Douglass, as Anne Bradford, performed the parts allotted them to the satisfaction of the numerous audience; whilst Mr. Russell, as the villain of the piece. Macraisy, added another to his list of successful delineations. The scenic effects were well prepared, the quadrupled rooms scene in particular being a triumph of stage mechanism. This evening "Uncle Tom's Cabin" will once more be produced, and it is announced that it will hold possession of the boards for the remainder of the week.

All over the world balloon ascents are events which greatly exercise the public mind, and it is no wonder that the attempt made by Mr. L'Estrange on Saturday afternoon attracted as much attention as it did. Mr. L'Estrange was the first man in Australia who successfully imitated if he did not equal the original Blondin, and this circumstance tended to render the public confidence greater than it otherwise would have been. He has never attempted anything that he has not accomplished, and this served to increase the impression that balloon-ascent failures in Sydney would be relieved by one success. Early in the afternoon crowds of people assembled in the vicinity of Prince Alfred Park. Many paid for admission to enter the grounds, but very many more occupied vantage grounds outside, from which they could see what was going on within the enclosure. The inflation of the balloon had been commenced at six o'clock, under a contract with the Gas Company to supply 50,000 feet of gas. Early in the day's proceedings it was rendered evident by the "slack" sides of the intended aerial voyagant that there had been a hitch somewhere, and this was confirmed by what subsequently happened. The balloon which should assume a spherical shape when filled with gas presented up to after four o'clock more the appearance of a top-heavy pillar than anything else, and even after that the upper portion of it did not seem to swell to any material extent. Those who were present were exceedingly orderly until shortly after five o'clock, when the larrikin element commenced to rise to the surface. Whether the Gas Company did not supply sufficient gas of good quality or what, it is difficult to say. One thing is certain—the balloon ascent was a failure. Mr. L'Estrange, more perhaps to satisfy the public that he was honest than anything else, entered the car when there was only sufficient gas in the baloon to skim the ground, and a ridge in the contour of the park made him effectually kiss mother earth. The balloon was again brought back to a starting point, and after a little delay Mr. L'Estrange started away without the car and hanging on to the ring alone on what most people there considered a very foolish errand. The wind underneath the voyagant caught the parachute and raised it high enough to encourage Mr. L'Estrange to make the attempt which he did, and when the wind failed he landed in a sort of obtuse angle position on a railway truck, where the people from the Park quickly followed him and assisted in helping him through his difficulties. The attempt to go, under the circumstances, ought never to have been made. He had no hope of avoiding chimneys and church steeples, and in that case ought certainly to have been stopped from tempting Providence in the way he did. As it was Mr. L'Estrange landed safely on the truck, and with great presence of mind opened the valve to allow the gas to escape, at the same time that he clutched hold of the side of the truck with both legs. Mr. Evans, the station master, happened to be close to the place at the time, and lent Mr. L'Estrange very generous aid not only in holding back the balloon, but also in securing its safe custody. As it is it is considerably injured, but the injuries are not of such a nature as to necessitate a long delay in their being made good. As Mr. L'Estrange returned into the Exhibition building he was carried shoulder high in honour of what was generally considered a plucky attempt, which it certainly was, and the excitement was so great that he was obliged to appear at the door of the building and address the assembled spectators. In a few words he stated that he had endeavoured, as far as he could, to make the affair a success, that the failure was owing to the Gas Company, and that those who had obtained tickets of admission would be allowed in free on the next occasion when he intended to essay an ascent. The pipe that was laid on to the balloon was only three inches in diameter, and not only is this not considered sufficient, but it is said that the gas was very dense, and that the pressure, owing to faulty reticulation and leakage of the pipes was very slight. It is likely that next Saturday another attempt to rise will be made by Mr. L'Estrange.

REORGANIZATION of the VOLUNTEER FORCE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Permit me to correct a clerical error in my letter of yesterday.

The second paragraph should read:—

If a man attends sixteen detached parades during the year he will receive for the service £4; for any less number 5s. for each parade, &c.: the number 14 parades being the minimum to entitle to efficiency under this head of the regulations towards securing the bonus at the end of the year.

In the fourth paragraph also it should read, 5th line:—

7s. 6d. and 15s. a day, instead of 7s. 6d. and 5s. This is either a misprint or a mistake in my manuscript.

Yours faithfully,
R. PEEL RAYMOND, Lieut.-Col.
1st Reg. Vol. Infantry.
10, O'Connell-street, November 16.

Queen Christina has left a fortune amounting to eight millions of francs, which will be exclusively inherited by the children of her marriage with the Duke of Rianzarès, the succession having been thus previously arranged between the deceased Queen and her two other daughters, viz., Queen Isabella and the Duchess de Montpensier.

The death is announced of Chevalier James Tagliaferro, C.M.G., Captain Commandant of the Malta Militia, a Volunteer regiment, which was formed for the defence of the island during the Crimean war. He was also a Knight Commander of the Papal Order of St. Sylvester. The deceased expired at his residence, at Notting Hill, on September 11, in his sixty-fourth year.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

[BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.]

OUR SPECIAL TELEGRAM.

(FROM OUR LONDON CORRESPONDENT.)

THE FISHERIES QUESTION.

LONDON, Nov. 15.

The United States Government will pay the Halifax award to Great Britain.

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF CANADA.

LONDON, Nov. 15.

The Marquis of Lorne and the Princess Louise have sailed for Canada.

PARLIAMENT AND THE AFGHAN DIFFICULTY.

LONDON, Nov. 14.

In view of the probability of an Afghan war, an influential agitation has commenced in favour of convening Parliament.

THE BANK OF GLASGOW.

LONDON, Nov. 16.

One hundred and seventy thousand pounds have been subscribed in Scotland for the relief of the shareholders of the Glasgow Bank.

THE AVOCA GOLD ROBBERY.

LONDON, Nov. 16.

Ellison, at one time mate of the P. and O. Company's steamer Avoca, has been arrested and remanded in connection with the gold robbery on board that vessel.

FEARFUL GALES.

LONDON, Nov. 14.

Fearful gales have been experienced on the south coast.

SHIPPING CASUALTIES.

LONDON, Nov. 14.

The ship Blair Athol, outward bound for Australia, has put back, having sustained damage; and the Woodlark, outward bound for Australia, has also returned, having been in collision.

The ship Piako, bound for New Zealand, has arrived at Pernambuco, with her cargo on fire. The passengers were transferred to the Loch Doon, bound for Queensland.

PRESIDENT OF THE ROYAL ACADEMY.

LONDON, Nov. 14.

Frederick Leighton, A.R.A., has been elected President of the Royal Academy.

CARDINAL CULLEN'S SUCCESSOR.

LONDON, Nov. 14.

A telegram from Rome, published in the *Standard*, states that the Most Rev. Edward Mac Cabe, Auxiliary Archbishop of Dublin, will succeed the late Cardinal Cullen.

ANOTHER FAILURE.

LONDON, Nov. 14.

Donner and Company, in the China trade, have failed for £100,000.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

THE AMERICAN FISHERIES QUESTION.

LONDON, Nov. 12.

The Marquis of Salisbury has sent a reply to the despatches of Mr. Evarts, the United States Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, on the subject of the Newfoundland Fisheries question, in which he states that the British Government requires the maintenance of the award of the Halifax Commission, and that payment of the same is expected, even if it should be thought necessary to make it under protest.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.

The President of the United States has ordered that payment of the award of the Halifax Commission on the Newfoundland Fisheries Question should be made on the 23rd November. Earl Salisbury, replying to the dispatch of the Hon. W. M. Evarts, United States Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in which Mr. Evarts expresses his regret at differences having arisen at a time when a final settlement of the fisheries question was approaching, said that he was prepared to consider the American proposals in a friendly spirit.

THE AFGHAN DIFFICULTY.

LONDON, Nov. 16.

In consequence of the Afghan difficulty, a committee is being formed with Lord Lawrence, of the Punjaub, as chairman, in favour of the immediate assembling of Parliament.

GOLD DISCOVERY IN INDIA.

MADRAS, Nov. 15.

Gold has been discovered at Wynaad, in the Madras Presidency.

FRENCH INTERVENTION.

ST. PETERSBURGH, Nov. 14.

Russia supports a French intervention on behalf of Greece, with regard to the territory claimed in Thessaly and Epirus.

INUNDATION OF THE TIBER.

ROME, Nov. 16.

The Tiber has overflowed its banks, partially inundating Rome.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, Nov. 13.

Captain Jule, of the Royal Navy, is dead.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

YOUNG.

SATURDAY.

At the District Court, held to-day, a case of slander, brought by the proprietors of the "Burrangong Argus" against Mr. Gate, caused much interest. The jury were unanimous in their verdict for defendant, for whom Mr. Windeyer, instructed by Mr. J. Russell, appeared. Immediately the case was over a number of gentlemen assembled at Cohen's Hotel, and champagne being ordered, Mr. W. J. Watson proposed the health of Mr. Windeyer, who, in replying, referred to the advantages to be derived by connecting the Southern line at Murrumburrah with the Western. The chairman proposed the health of Mr. Gate. Mr. Windeyer was loudly cheered when leaving town by coach.

PARKES.

SATURDAY.

The escort left this morning with 240 ounces gold.

HAY.

SATURDAY.

The river is sixteen feet and rising. The Wagga has arrived with a small consignment of Gogeldrie wool, and will take wool to Wagga from the stations above Gogeldrie.

The weather is pleasant.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, SATURDAY.

Tenders have been called for the construction of two steam dredges capable of raising 300 tons per hour from a depth of 25 feet.

Customs overtime fees have been discontinued at Bundaberg, Gladstone, Lawrence, Mackay, Bowen, Cardwell, Cairns, Port Douglas, Thursday Island, and Success Island. The services of the officers will be available whenever required.

Paterson and Rae, both Government candidates, have been returned for Rockhampton; Mr. Hill for the Gregory, and Messrs. Scott and Paul for the Leichhardt.

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, SATURDAY.

A successful meeting of the National Mutual Life Association was held on Friday night. £10,000 of the profits are to be divided amongst the members. The annual report shows that 1008 policies had been issued during the first year, assuring £245,375.

A dinner given by the proprietors of the "Argus" and "Australasian" to the literary staff and contributors took place at the Victoria Club on Saturday night. Sixty persons were present.

Speculation is rife as to who is to be the third Commissioner to England. Rumour points to Sir Bryan O'Loghlen. The question will be settled at a Cabinet meeting on Monday.

Captain Steel, of the ship Sam Mendel, while walking in the street yesterday, with Captain Strachan, of the Ben Lomond, fell down dead.

People are getting very impatient here in regard to the bushranging. There are great complaints about the police organization not being so effective as could be desired.

Mr. Berry's speech at Sale last night does not augur well for the success of the mission to England.

The Government tender for the conveyance of coal has been given to Mr. John M'Ilwraith, owner of the steamer Kerangie.

The weather is fine.

QUEENSCLIFF, SATURDAY.

ARRIVED: At 10 a.m., Macedon (s.), from Sydney; Magellan, Swedish barque, from Mauritius.

SAILED: Vivid, barque, for Newcastle. The Cuzco (s.), cleared the Heads for Sydney at 6.45 p.m.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, SATURDAY.

The Norwood Cricket Club, which has held premier position for three years, was defeated by North Adelaide on Saturday. Norwood scored 43, and North Adelaide 58 in their first innings. There was a large attendance on the ground, and great excitement.

The first wheat of the season was delivered at Quorn and Wallaroo on Saturday. Both samples are good.

SUNDAY.

ARRIVED: Chimborazo (s.), from Melbourne.

NEW ZEALAND.

[BY CABLE.]

WELLINGTON, SATURDAY.

The Defence Minister, replying to a deputation in reference to the defence of Lyttelton, scouted the idea of any attack being made on New Zealand.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW ZEALAND.

[BY CABLE.]

WELLINGTON, SUNDAY.

By a bush fire, at Waimate, six saw-mills and a number of residences were destroyed. The loss is estimated at £80,000.

NEWS BY THE CUZCO.

The steamship Cuzco, of the Orient line, arrived at Glenelg on Wednesday, bringing one day's later news. The "Argus" furnishes the subjoined items of the intelligence:—

LONDON, SEPT. 28.

Indian papers mention Lieutenant-General Crawford Chamberlain as the probable commander-in-chief of the expeditionary forces. He is Sir Neville's brother.

A second ship with winter huts has arrived at Cyprus. Troops will be distributed in various parts of the island. Revenue surveys will shortly be undertaken. Sir Garnet Wolseley's residence has been fixed two miles from Nicosia. Native police continue to be enlisted. The Greek population is much dissatisfied with the appointments to the municipal tribunals, on account of an undue proportion of Turkish representatives. The War Office is considering the desirableness of curtailing the expense of General Wolseley's staff, now that the garrison is being reduced.

The Bengal cavalry at Malta have sold off their cast horses preparatory to embarkation.

The British fleet left Prinkipo to-day.

The Russian troops have evacuated the Tchataldja.

At Thursday's meeting of the Grand Council, Musurus Pasha intimated that financial aid from England might be hoped for.

Sir Austen Layard has forwarded money and provisions to the distressed Rhodope refugees.

General Skobeleff has announced the formation of a court-martial in Roumelia, and that all persons convicted of certain specified crimes will be punished with death.

Steps are taken to create a financial commission, with an Ottoman president and one English and one French vice-president.

A *Times* telegram says that the British scheme of reforms has been accepted in principle, but no formal answer has yet been given by the Porte. The delay is occasioned by the alleged difficulty in finding Englishmen qualified to fill worthily the posts of assessors or judges in the new courts of appeal.

The news from Bosnia continues favourable. Livno is the only town in the south-west that refuses to capitulate. 6000 insurgents have already retired across the Servian frontier, and 4000 more are expected.

A commission is about to be appointed in Vienna for the organization and administration of the occupied provinces.

The Roumanian Chambers opened yesterday with a speech which is mostly a lament of the decision of the Berlin Congress as to the retrocession of Bessarabia.

The Emperor and Empress of Germany are at Cologne, to witness the unveiling of the memorial statue erected to the late King Frederick William III.

The German Socialist Bill passed the first reading before the Parliamentary committee, who have provided a court of appeal of nine members, a majority of whom must be attached to the Supreme Court of Justice. The Emperor appoints the president.

The secret committee for unredeemed Italy have circulated a manifesto through Trieste. The imminent review of 100,000 Austrian troops in the Tyrol is regarded by the Radical papers as a demonstration against Italy.

The New York Republic Convention has adopted resolutions denouncing repudiation in any form, and demanding the resumption of specie payments, so that greenbacks may be convertible into coin on demand.

The City Liberal Club have taken the initiative in raising a memorial to Earl Russell in the City of London.

The Duke of Cambridge yesterday reviewed 3000 troops on Woolwich Common, when a sham fight took place.

Dr. Petermann, the celebrated German geographer, died on Thursday from apoplexy.

Mr. Bradlaugh and Mrs. Besant have been refused the use of public buildings in Edinburgh to lecture in.

LONDON, SEPT. 30.

Latest Calcutta telegrams point to an early invasion of Afghanistan. Military preparations are energetically proceeding. The vernacular Press of Northern India commends the Viceroy's policy.

Popular feeling in St. Petersburg is much embittered by the insinuation that the Russian Government has instigated Shere Ali to reject the English mission, and it is semi-officially denied.

Rhobuk, the last Herzegovina stronghold, and Liono, in Western Bosnia, capitulated after severe bombardment. Three divisions of the Austrian army are returning home.

Hobart Pasha has transmitted to Athens letters from the Queen and Princess of Wales favouring a conciliatory arrangement between Greece and Turkey.

Midhat Pasha advises the cession of Crete.

An international commission is organizing in East Roumelia, and it has been resolved to assemble at Philippopolis, despite the opposition of the Russian and German delegates.

The Pope has refused Father Beckx permission to re-establish the Jesuit head-quarters at Rome.

A terrible famine prevails at Morocco.

A Vesuvius railway is projected.

Obituary.—Sir Thomas Biddulph and Lord Halyburton.

MR. GLADSTONE ON THE COLONIES. — Mr. Gladstone has written the following letter to Mr. Rowland Rees, J.P., of Dover, in response to information conveyed to Mr. Gladstone, through Mr. Rees, by his son Mr. R. Rees, a member of the Legislature in one of the Australian colonies, and referring to a meeting recently held in support of Mr. Gladstone's Eastern policy:—"Hawarden, Sept. 23, 1878.—Dear Sir—I thank you for your note of the 19th, and for the Australian paper. I had already seen some journals from that quarter. I shall be obliged to you if you will become the medium of conveying to the gentlemen who had promoted and signed the address the expression of my sincere thanks and my cordial gratification at this expression of their sentiments. I do not speak of it merely as a vote of personal confidence. Their view of the Eastern question is infinitely more important as a test of the state of their own minds with regard to those principles of justice and freedom which lie at the root of all sound politics. At the same time I am not greatly surprised if the majority of those who could be collected at a public meeting in the town of Adelaide may have followed the natural impulse to rely upon the Government of the day at a period of difficulty. For I apprehend that such a majority must mainly depend for information upon what they learn from the London newspapers as to the facts of the case and the disposition of the people of this country. According to the great majority of these papers, the policy of the Government has had the general and warm support of the people ever since the autumn of 1876. The Australian public is neither aware of the testimony of the national Press at large, nor is it probably cognisant of the fact that while Europe, as well as the colonies, have been fed with these assurances, the constituencies of this country, when an opportunity has chanced to occur, and the question has been tried, have returned in large majority those who disapprove the conduct of the Ministry.—I am, Sir, your faithful servant, W. E. GLADSTONE."

Government Notices.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

REGULATIONS FOR THE
CENTRAL BOOKING AND INQUIRY OFFICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, for the convenience of the public, a Central Office will be established in George-street, next to the General Post Office, for Booking Passengers and Parcels in connection with the Great Southern, Western, and Richmond Lines, and will be opened for the conduct of business on MONDAY, the 18th November next. The office also includes a Cloak Room and Inquiry Branch.

Open daily (Sundays, Christmas Day, and Good Friday excepted), from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

PASSENGER TICKETS.

Tickets from Redfern to any part of the lines (except suburban stations, i.e., Eveleigh to Parramatta inclusive) may be obtained at the Central Office at any time between the abovementioned hours. The currency of the tickets will commence on date of issue, the same as with tickets procured at stations.

PARCELS.

Parcels not exceeding 84 lbs. in weight will be received for transmission to any part of the lines. The despatches to the Redfern Station will be made up and leave the Central Office at the following times, viz.:—8.30 a.m., 12 noon, 2 p.m., 3.45 p.m., 4.45 p.m., and 6 p.m. To insure parcels being forwarded by any particular despatch, they should be at the office at least 15 minutes before the time fixed for leaving.

Parcels from the country, if addressed to the Central Office, will be sent there and kept until delivery is applied for. Inwards parcels not addressed to the Central Office will be delivered from Redfern by parcels vans as hitherto.

The freight on parcels forwarded or received through the Central Office will be same as from or to Redfern. No additional charge will be made.

For passenger fares and parcels rates, see time and fare books and coaching rate sheets.

CLOAK ROOM.

Articles for passengers proceeding by rail will be received at the Central Office, to be transmitted to the Redfern Station for delivery there when applied for; and, in like manner, articles belonging to passengers arriving by rail, may be left at the Redfern Cloak Room for transmission to the Central Office, where they will await delivery.

The times for the despatches to leave the Central Office for Redfern will be the same as those for the parcels, viz.:—8.30 a.m., 12 noon, 2 p.m., 3.45 p.m., 4.45 p.m., and 6 p.m. The despatches from Redfern to the Central Office will leave by the return vans.

The charge will be 2d. for each article under 28 lbs., and 4d. for each article over that weight, but not exceeding 84 lbs. Nothing heavier than 84 lbs. will be received.

When articles left at the Redfern Cloak Room are for transmission to the Central Office, distinct directions to that effect should be affixed to each article.

On any article not removed from either Cloak Room within three days, an additional charge of 3d per week, or part of a week, will be made.

Special Cloak Room Tickets, of the value of 2d and 4d each, are provided for articles left at the Central Office for transmission to Redfern; the same tickets may also be used for articles sent direct to the Redfern Cloak Room. These tickets are in duplicate parts and numbered; one part is to be affixed to the article, and the other part retained by the owner, and presented at Redfern when delivery is applied for. It is anticipated that this arrangement will be found a great convenience to persons wishing to have parcels, &c., sent to the Station from shops or other places in town.

For articles left at Redfern to be forwarded to the Central Office, the ordinary Cloak Room Tickets will still be used.

The special Cloak Room Tickets may be purchased at the Central Booking and Inquiry Office, and at the Booking Office and Cloak Room, Redfern Station.

INQUIRY BRANCH.

Any information with reference to Fares and Rates, the running of Trains, and all matters connected with the Coaching and Goods Traffic, on either the Great Southern, Western, and Richmond Lines or Great Northern Line, can be obtained at the Central Office; and orders for Trucks, Horse-boxes, &c., required on the Great Southern, Western, and Richmond Lines, will be received.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Public Works,
Railway Branch, Sydney, 25th October, 1878.

Department of Public Works, Railway Branch.
Sydney, 14th November, 1878.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

CENTRAL BOOKING AND INQUIRY OFFICE,
GEORGE-STREET.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above Office will be opened for the transaction of business on MONDAY next, the 18th instant.

CHARLES A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

The Treasury New South Wales,
4th November, 1878.

TENDERS FOR ALMANACS.—TENDERS will be received at this office until noon of TUESDAY, the 19th instant, from persons willing to supply
Book Almanacs
Sheet ditto,
for the Public Service, during the year 1879.
Samples to accompany each tender.

Tenders to be addressed to the Under Secretary for Finance and Trade, and endorsed "Tenders for Almanacs."

H. E. COHEN.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
4th November, 1878.

ANNUAL CONTRACTS.

CONTRACTS FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

TENDERS will be received at this office, until noon of TUESDAY, the 19th instant, for the supply of 2000 tons of Newcastle COAL (more or less) for the Public Service during the year 1879.

Printed forms of tender, conditions of contract, and any information regarding it can be obtained from the Superintendent of Stores, Circular Quay, by persons who purpose tendering.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons, stating their intention to become bound as sureties in the sum specified in the conditions of contract, for the due fulfilment thereof.

In the event of the tender being accepted, the contractor and his sureties must severally call at the office of the Crown Solicitor, to execute and deliver the bond within fourteen days after the date of acceptance, failing which the contract may either be advertised anew, or another tender accepted.

Each tender to be enclosed in a separate cover, and marked outside, thus—"Tender for Newcastle Coal."

H. E. COHEN.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
14th November, 1878.

TO CARCASE BUTCHERS and OTHERS.—At noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of November, 1878, will be submitted for sale by public auction, by Messrs. HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, at the Abattoirs, Glebe Island, the LEASES for one year, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1879, of Six Beef and Six Mutton Slaughter Houses.

The upset price for each beef slaughter house will be £200, and for each mutton slaughter house, £125.

The rent is to be paid by equal monthly instalments, payable not later than seven days after the expiration of each month, and interest at the rate of eight pounds per centum per annum will be charged, if payment be not made within the period so prescribed.

A bond in double the amount of rent will be required for the fulfilment of each lessee's engagement, which bond must be entered into by the lessee, in conjunction with two responsible parties as sureties.

Further information and copies of the conditions and regulations may be obtained on application to the Inspector of the Abattoirs, Glebe Island.

H. E. COHEN.

PASTORAL LEASES ACT OF 1869.

SALE of the UNEXPIRED TERMS of LEASES of FORFEITED RUNS of CROWN LANDS in the UNSETTLED DISTRICTS.

Department of Public Lands,
Pastoral Occupation Branch,
Brisbane, October 14, 1878.

The attention of Stockowners and others is drawn to the Notices in the Supplement to the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE of the 12th instant, having reference to the undermentioned Forfeited Runs, situated in the Unsettled Districts, the Unexpired Terms of the Leases of which will be offered for sale by auction, at the Rooms of Arthur Martin, Queen-street, Brisbane, on TUESDAY, December 3, 1878.

The abovementioned notices set forth the upset prices, areas, unexpired terms of lease, and descriptions of the boundaries of the Runs in question, and, when surveyed, the survey fee payable.

Plans of the Surveyed Runs may be seen, and all information obtained, at the Public Lands Office, Brisbane.

JAMES F. GARRICK.

Name of Run.	Name of Run.
DARLING DOWNS DISTRICT.	
Tinker's Creek	Crowders Creek
Tara	Myra.
Callitris	
BURKE DISTRICT.	
Burko	Rolling Downs
Bellanda Downs	Cumberland
Telemon	Pyram
Blairgowrie	Leichhardt Downs No. 3
Leichhardt Downs No. 4	Leichhardt Downs No. 11
Varaville No. 1	Varaville No. 2
Neumayer Downs No. 1	Neumayer Downs No. 2
Merrell	Rippledon
Denmark	Renfrew.
GREGORY NORTH DISTRICT.	
Vindex No. 3	
LEICHHARDT DISTRICT.	
Repulse Creek No. 2	Balling-cle-rook
Clematis No. 1	
SOUTH KENNEDY DISTRICT.	
Datlands	Stroudwater
Morrill	Leichhardt South
MARANOA DISTRICT.	
Western Creek No. 1	Western Creek No. 2
Western Creek No. 3	
WARREGO DISTRICT.	
Bogarella	Woura Mal Mal.

Borough Council Notices.

BOROUGH OF THE GLEBE.

NOTICE.

PLANS showing the proposed permanent levels of the streets, lanes, and thoroughfares of the Lyndhurst Estate are now lying at the Council-chamber for the inspection of those interested. No objection will be entertained after the 14th day of December proximo.

H. N. ARMSTRONG,
Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, Glebe, 14th November, 1878.

Auction Sales.

Horses, Vehicles, and Harness.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised; and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised.

Regular sales at the Bazaar, daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.

Ten First-class Saddle and Harness Horses,
from Kiama.
To be sold, at the Bazaar, on MONDAY next.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. J. M'Intyre to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Three thoroughbred geldings, bays and chestnuts, by Phyton, [illegible] Warrior (imported), broken to saddle and harness, with splendid action
One chestnut filly, good in both saddle and harness
Six excellent saddle and harness horses, fine movers, all [illegible] and good.

DOG CART AND HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A dog cart and set of harness, a good lot.

IMPORTANT SALE
of
PURE-BRED
SHORT-HORN BULLS, COWS, and HEIFERS,
progeny of
5TH DUKE OF BRUNSWICK (414),
and
ROYAL BUTTERFLY (630), N.S.W. H.B.
Property of late
W. W. EWIN, Woodstock, Ulladulla.

To be sold, under instructions from the Executors, by
GEORGE KISS,
Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, Sydney,
on
THURSDAY, November 21, 1878, at 11 o'clock.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Executors in the Estate of the late W. W. Ewin, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, Sydney, on THURSDAY, 21st of November, at 11 o'clock,

The following bulls, cows, and heifers:—
10 Pure-bred Shorthorn young Bulls, by 5th Duke of Brunswick, N. S. Wales, out of magnificent cows, selecte with great care by late Mr. Ewin.
15 Magnificently bred Cows, some of which were purchased at very high prices.
31 Heifers, regular gems, by 5th and 8th Dukes of Brunswick, N. S. Wales, and out of the best bred cows that could be selected.

☞ The Auctioneer particularly wishes to direct the attention of breeders to this magnificent lot of 56 head of bulls, cows, and heifers, as such an opportunity is seldom met with to procure pure-bred stock. The late Mr. Ewin was not only one of the best judges of stock in New South Wales, but he was determined to have the best stock, no matter what the cost. In 1874, at the Sydney Exhibition, he bought the 5th Duke of Brunswick from Mr. R. Moreton, of Mount Derrimut, Victoria, for 1150 guineas, and this animal proved to be one of the best sires in New South Wales. At the last Exhibition meeting I sold seven bull calves for Mr. W. W. Ewin, by the 5th Duke of Brunswick, which brought the highest averge for seven calves at the Agricultural Society's meeting in Sydney for the year 1878.

Full particulars as to pedigrees, &c., to be found in catalogues, which are now ready, and can be had by intending purchasers on application at the Bazaar.

☞ Most of the above cattle have arrived, and can be seen at the Bazaar.

Sydney, November 15, 1878.

Thoroughbred Horse EXILE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
EXILE, a bay colt, 3 years old (bred by F. Reynolds, Esq., Tocal), by Kelpie, imported, out of Cassandra (dam of Chieftain and other good horses), by Cossack, out of Cora, by Gratis, imported, out of Kate.

Exile raced once only, at Singleton, and ran second to Silver Fox.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from Messrs. Walters and Graham to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, November 18th, at 2 o'clock,
30 head very superior first-class horses, comprising heavy draught colts and fillies, by CHAMPION and BRITON; very handsome carriage horses by SCAMP; splendid horses broken to all kinds of light harness; and really good hackneys.

The above are a lot that have been carefully selected from some of the best studs in the Southern districts, and the whole are in excellent condition.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

To DRAY PROPRIETORS, VANMEN, and others.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from W. J. M'Connell, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, Monday, November 18, at 2 o'clock,
20 very heavy and grand draught horses and colts, broken in, from some of the best stallions in the Southern districts.

This lot has been carefully selected for the market by Mr. M'Connell, and will be found quite equal to the best of his two last drafts.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions from Messrs. T. and S. Learmonth, to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 18th inst., at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
70 Prime fat cattle, in lots, from their noted Groongal station.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions from Thomas Cook, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 18th inst., at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
100 Prime fat bullocks, in lots, balance of those sold on Thursday.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions from E. Vickery, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 18th instant, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
200 Prime fat cattle, in lots, from Gundemaine.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions from W. F. Buchanan, Es., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 19th inst., at the Homebush yards, at 11 o'clock,
2000 Prime fat wethers, in lots.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK are instructed by Messrs. Cobb and Co. to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, the 18th instant,
500 very prime fat wethers, by rail, from Bathurst.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK are instructed by Messrs. Hill and Hector to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, the 18th instant,
200 very prime cows, from Butterbone, trucked from Wallerawang.

Butchers. Butchers. Butchers.

W. FULLAGAR and SON has received instructions from W. F. Buchanan, Esq., to sell at Homebush, THIS DAY, 18th Novmeber, at 11 o'clock,
70 prime bullocks.
Also for J. Perry, Esq.,
70 prime bullocks.
Terms, cash.

FAT SHEEP, for MONDAY.

BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY have received instructions from Messrs. Swift and Hann to sell by auction at Homebush, THIS DAY, the 18th November, 1878, at 11 o'clock,
2000 prime and weighty fat wethers, equal to last flock.

FAT CATTLE. FAT CATTLE. FAT CATTLE.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from Messrs. Dunn and M'Kinnon to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, November 18, at 11 o'clock,
300 exceedingly prime fat cattle, from the Yanco paddocks, Riverina.

SULLIVAN and SIMPSON have received instructions from the Hon. James White to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, the 18th instant, at 11 o'clock,
200 head of really prime and weighty fat bullocks, in lots, from his Segenhoe Estate.

PURE SHORTHORN BULLS.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by W. Archer, Esq., to sell by auction, at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 22nd November, at 11 o'clock,
40 pure Shorthorn bulls, by Robin Hood.

PURE SHORTHORN AND DEVON BULLS.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by B. Bear, Esq., to sell by auction, at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, on FRIDAY, 22nd November, at 11 o'clock,
3 Shorthorn bulls
9 Devon ditto.
Full pedigree at sale.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by G. H. Ash, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 18th November, at 11 o'clock,
300 prime and weighty fat wethers, by rail.

TO CARCASE BUTCHERS and OTHERS.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have received instructions from the Hon. H. E. Cohen, Colonial Treasurer, to sell by public auction, at the Abattoirs, Glebe Island, on WEDNESDAY, 20th NOVEMBER, at 12 o'clock,
The lease for one year, from 1st January, 1879, of six beef and six mutton slaughterhouses

Further information and copies of the conditions and regulations may be obtained on application to the Inspector of the Abattoirs, Glebe Island.

Weekly Wool Sale.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN will sell by auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, THIS DAY, Monday, 18th November, at 2 o'clock,
Sheepskins.
And at half-past 2 o'clock,
1400 bales of wool.
Terms, cash.

WILLIAM INGLIS will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at the Railway, at 9 o'clock,
Hay and straw, by the truck.
At 11 o'clock,
Maize, oats, potatoes, pumpkins, &c., &c.

HALL, PRINCE, and CO. will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9,
Hay, straw, chaff, bran, potatoes, and colonial produce.
Offices—Market Wharf.

GARLING and FRASER will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9,
Hay and straw, by the truck
Other produce in lots.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by AUCTION, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock,
Hay—oaten and lucerne, straw, corn, potatoes, and pumpkins.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, EVERY DAY, at 10 o'clock, Wood, &c.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, at Newtown Railway Station, THIS DAY, at 3 o'clock, Wood, &c.

Hay. Hay. Hay.

TO-MORROW, half-past 10 o'clock,
N. H. R. S. N. Co.'s and Kembla's Wharfs.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction,
271 bales really good lucerne hay.

SAYERS and CO. will sell at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock, Hay, &c.; at 12, Wood.

FURNITURE SALE.

W. TINDALE has received instructions from Mr. Charles Johnson to sell at 28, Liverpool-street West, on TUESDAY, 19th November, at 12 o'clock,
A quantity of household furniture, consisting of iron tubular bedsteads, mattresses, palliasses, pillows, bolsters, stump bedsteads, stretchers, mattresses, cane chairs, lounge, chests drawers, tables, vases, 1 set of liqueur glasses and tray, sofas, pictures, crockery, and sundry other lots.
Terms, cash.

On MONDAY, November 18, at 3 o'clock.

STRACHAN and CO. will sell by auction, on the Ground BURREN-STREET, Macdonaldtown,
A WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE, containing 4 rooms, with front verandah, outhouse, and stables, built on allotment 40 feet by 116 feet.
One minute from Macdonaldtown Platform.
Title, freehold. Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 19th November, at 11.30.

STRACHAN and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 796, George-street, a weatherboard cottage, near Railway Station, Ashfield, situate in the Avenue, off Thomas-street, containing 4 rooms, outhouses; large tanks, with never-failing supply of water; built on allotment 81 x 210 feet. Title, Crown grant. Terms at sale.

On SATURDAY, November 23, at 3 o'clock.

STRACHAN and CO. will sell by auction, on the ground,
That new brick house, containing four rooms, washhouse, &c., situated in Angel-street, at back of Public school, Newtown. Title freehold. Terms at sale.

On TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, at 11 o'clock.

To Wine and Spirit Merchants, Publicans, Dealers, and others.

54 CASES GIN, Anchor Brand
45 CASES GIN, Key Brand
25 CASES GUINNESSES' BOTTLED PORTER
8000 CIGARS.

S. LEVIN has received instructions from the executor in the estate of the late Edward Goodwin to sell by auction, on the Premises, Turon Inn, George-street,
The above surplus stock, to be sold in lots to suit purchasers.
Terms, cash.

TUESDAY, 19th instant, at 11 o'clock.

CLEARING OUT SALE of a FURNITURE DEALER.

In consequence of expiration of Lease of Premises.

Useful and substantial HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects, comprising
Round Table, Dining Tables, Chairs
Leather-seated Chairs, Sideboards, Chiffoniers
Pier Glasses, Ornaments, Lustres
Carpets, Oilcloth, Matting
Single and Double Iron Bedsteads
Palliasses, Mattress, Bedding
Chests Drawers
Bedroom Furniture
Kitchen Utensils
Crockery, Glassware, China
Holloware, Tinware
Photographic Chemicals
And Sundries too numerous to mention.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from Mr. Ellis to sell by auction, on the premises, Piper-street, Woollahra,
Without reserve.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, IRONMONGERY, SHOP FITTINGS.

R. J. HUGHES and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 292, Pitt-street,
The above, without reserve.

TUESDAY, November 19, at 2 o'clock.
FURNITURE, ORNAMENTS, PICTURES, PLATEDWARE, WATCHES, JEWELLERY, &c., &c.

BENJAMIN BRAUN will sell by auction, at the New Central Auction Rooms, 624, George-street, Brickfield-hill, on TUESDAY next, at 2 o'clock,
A QUANTITY of UNREDEEMED PLEDGES, and other goods, as above.

SOFT SHELL ALMONDS
JORDAN ALMONDS,
now landing ex Nehemiah Gibson.
JUST IN TIME for the CHRISTMAS TRADE.
☞ TO GROCERS, CONFECTIONERS, STOREKEEPERS, and OTHERS.

BENJAMIN BRAUN will sell by auction, at the New Central Auction, 624, George-street, Brickfield-hill, on TUESDAY, the 19th instant, at 11 o'clock,
1 case, 416 lbs., S. A. JORDAN ALMONDS
12 packages, 1261 lbs., NEW SOFT-SHELL ALMONDS, now landing in fine condition.
Terms liberal.

At the risk of the former purchaser, who has failed to comply with the conditions of sale.

6 horse-power Donkey Engine
Boilers, Gear, &c.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, at half-past 10 o'clock sharp, at the Mart, Pitt-street,
The above.

REMOVED FROM ASHFIELD
to the Labour Bazaar Auction Mart, Pitt-street, for convenience of Sale,
The Furniture of a 10-roomed House.

Comprising 2 Pianofortes, Drawing and Dining Room Suites, Sideboards, Brussels Carpet, Pier Glasses, Floorcloth, Telescope and other Tables, Bookcase, Chests Drawers, Wardrobes, Iron and Wood Bedsteads, Bedding, Toilet Tables and Glasses, Washstands and Sets, Commodes, Wood and Cane Chairs, Stoves, Mangles, Chaff-cutters, Shop Fittings, Counters, Spring Van, Harness, &c.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Mart, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
The above.

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES.

H. L. DUNN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 204, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
The unredeemed pledges, pawned with Mr. J. Johnson, of Lower George-street, consisting of clothing, boots, blankets, &c.

Preliminary Notice.

WEDNESDAY, 20th November, at 11 a.m.

At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.
NEW SHIPMENT OF WROUGHT IRON ENAMELLED WARE.

TO THE TRADE.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from the importers to sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on WEDNESDAY, 20th November, at 11 a.m.,
The above.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, at half-past 2.

At the Residence of the late Mr. KING, DENISON-STREET, NEWTOWN.

IMPERATIVE SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, CHINA, GLASS, PLATE, &c.

TO FURNITURE DEALERS and PRIVATE BUYERS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at the above address, on WEDNESDAY, at half-past 2 p.m.,
GLASS
CHINA
PLATE
DINING-ROOM, DRAWING-ROOM, and BEDROOM FURITURE
Kitchen utensils and sundries.
Terms, cash.

Preliminary Notice.

THURSDAY, 21st November, at 11 a.m.,
at
Mr. ROWETT'S FIRST-CLASS BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT, CARLTON HOUSE, corner of MARGARET and YORK STREETS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from Mr. Rowett to sell by auction at CARLTON HOUSE, corner of Margaret and York streets,
The whole of the VERY SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, GLASS, CHINA, PLATE, PIANOFORTES, and BEDROOM FURNITURE.

☞ Catalogues in course of preparation.

☞ On view on WEDNESDAY.

Full particulars in to-morrow's issue.

Preliminary Notice.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE of the other Half of the BEAUTIFUL COLLECTION of JAPANESE ART TREASURES
in the
FIRST WEEK IN DECEMBER.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions from Mr. Singleton, professional collector of Art Curios, to sell by auction, at the new Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, in the first week in December,
The above.

☞ Full particulars will be disclosed in another issue, and descriptive catalogues compiled for general circulation.

ALBURY WINES.

To the TRADE, HOTELKEEPERS, SPECULATORS, and OTHERS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from I. E. Ives to sell by public auction, at the ARGYLE BONDED Stores, on THURSDAY, 21st November, at 11 a.m.,
A specially-selected shipment of choice RED and WHITE ALBURY Wines.

The attention of the trade, &c., is particularly directed to this important sale, as it affords an excellent and unusual opportunity of laying in a stock of the finest Albury wines (in bulk) yet introduced to the public.

TUESDAY, 19th November, at 11 a.m.

At No. 2, Leamington Villa, Albert-street, Woollahra.
UNRESERVED SALE of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from the proprietor to sell by auction, at the above address, on TUESDAY, 19th November, at 11 a.m.,
The whole of the household furniture and effects.

CLARENCE and RICHMOND RIVER SUGARS,
JUST ARRIVED,
consisting of
FINEST COUNTERS and BROWNS.

WEDNESDAY, November 20th, at 11 o'clock.

FRASER and CO. (successors to L. E. Threlkeld and Co.) will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, November 20th, at 11 o'clock,
1780 pockets sugar.
Terms at sale.

FINEST PLANTATION CINNAMON.

JUST LANDED, ex AVOCA,
in SPLENDID ORDER and CONDITION.

DAY of SALE, WEDNESDAY, November 20th, at 11 o'clock.

FRASER and CO. (successors to L. E. Threlkeld and Co.) will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, November 20th, at 11 o'clock,
5 bales plantation cinnamon.
Terms at sale.

FINEST PURPLE SLATES,
18 x 10.

JUST ARRIVED ex S. B. ALLEN,
THE ONLY PARCEL in the MARKET,
for positive sale
at the City Mart on
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21st, at 11 o'clock.

Under instructions from the consignees,
Messrs. R. TOWNS and CO.
Highly important to Builders, Contractors, Slate Merchants, and others.

FRASER and CO. (successors to L. E. Threlkeld and Co.), will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on THURSDAY, November 21st, at 11 o'clock,
ex S. B. Allen,
31,000 finest purple 18 x 10 slates.
Full particulars at sale.
Terms at sale.

CLEARANCE SALE OF THE
ENTIRE STOCK
Messrs. SMITH, BROTHERS, and CO., Macquarie-place,
comprising
LIVERPOOL COARSE SALT
Ditto ROCK SALT
BOILED and RAW LINSEED OIL
CHINA OIL
EUROPE ROPE, CHINA MATTING, &c.

For Positive Unreserved Sale,
at THEIR STORES, MACQUARIE-PLACE,
THIS MORNING, NOVEMBER 18, at 11 o'clock,
BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

FRASER and CO. (successors to L. E. Threlkeld and Co.) will sell by auction, at the Stores of Messrs. Smith, Brothers, and Co., Macquarie-place, THIS DAY, November 18, at 11 o'clock,
The entire stock-in-trade in the estate of Messrs. Smith, Brothers, and Co.
comprising
300 empty gunny bags, 25 dozen
19 nests camphor trunks
5 cane arm chairs
142 cane stools
2 camphor trunks, (loose)
5 bolts canvas, 222½ yards
4 rolls 4-quarter fancy matting, each 40, 160 yards
6 ditto 5 ditto white ditto, each 40, 240 ditto
1 Avery's weighing-machine, 10 cwt.
150 empty tins (for tea samples)
7 bundles Europe rope, small 7
1 case Bass's pint ale; 4 dozen ale, Jamee's
1 ditto ditto quart ditto; 2 ditto ditto
1 cask white paint, containing 40 kegs each 28, 10 cwt.
100 cases china oil, each 10, 100,000 gallons
93 drums Mathew's B. and R. oil, each 5, 465 gallons
75 sacks Liverpool coarse salt, 159-11 tons
7 tons rock salt, loose
15 bags ditto, 1½ ton
1 case wood matches, 30 gross
20 tons rock salt (stowed in Parbury's stores)
1778 bags L. C. salt (ditto Moore's ditto), 11 bags to the ton, 161 7-11.
Full particulars at sale.
Terms, cash.

IMPORTANT SALE OF BOOTS AND SHOES.

To the Boot and Shoe Trade.

THE CHOICEST PARCEL OFFERED FOR SOME TIME, consisting of Pollak's Men's and Women's
Jones'
Clarke's
Cook's
Credland and Rose's
Otto Hertz's.

JUST LANDED ex LA HOGUE, PERICLES, and CARMARTHEN CASTLE.

FRASER and CO. (successors to L. E. Threlkeld and Co.) have been favoured with instructions to sell, at the City Mart, on FRIDAY, 22nd instant, at 11 o'clock promptly,
The above.

ALL NEW GOODS.
Liberal terms.

First arrival of
NEW KENT HOPS,
Growth 1878.
Ex HANKOW.
A splendid shipment.

WEDNESDAY, November 20th, at the City Mart.

By order of the Consignees,
21 Pockets.

Important to Brewers, Exporters, and the Trade.

FRASER and CO. (successors to L. E. Threlkeld and Co.) will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, November 20, at 11 o'clock,
EB in diamond
1-21—21 packets new growth Kent hops.
The finest samples in the market.
Terms at sale.

FINEST PORT COOPER CHEESE.

JUST LANDED EX JESSIE M'DONALD,
IN SPLENDID ORDER AND CONDITION.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, AT 11 O'CLOCK,

FRASER and CO. (successors to L. E. Threlkeld and Co.) will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, November 21, at 11 o'clock,
100 finest Port Cooper cheese, (loose).
Terms at sale.

TOBACCO STRIPS.
Fillers and Wrappers
46 Hogsheads
1 Tierce,
ex Candida and Assaye.

At the Argyle Bond.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, November 19th, at 3 o'clock.

By order of the Consignees.

FRASER and CO. (successors to L. E. Threlkeld and Co.) will sell by auction, at the Argyle Bond, on TUESDAY, November 19th, at 3 o'clock,
Ex Candida,
10 hogsheads wrapper strips
1 tierce ditto
20 hogsheads filler strips.
Ex Assaye,
10 hogsheads wrapper strips
6 ditto filler strips.

Inspection at time of sale
Terms liberal.

DRESSED TIMBER.

SUPERIOR SCOTCH FLOORING
and LINING BOARDS.

From the well-known Mills of R. MILLAR and SONS, Montrose.
This special shipment comprises:
8696 feet T. and G. 6 x ¾
9572 ditto ditto, 6 x ⅝ and beaded
28,252 ditto ditto and beaded, 6 x ½.

Now landing ex MADEIRA, from Glasgow,
and may be inspected as
discharged on Dibbs' Wharf.

Day of Sale, THURSDAY, November 21, at the
City Mart, by order of
Messrs. LEARMONTH, DICKINSON, and CO.

FRASER and CO. (successors to L. E. Threlkeld and Co.) will sell by auction, at their City Mart, on THURSDAY, November 21, at 11 o'clock, for 11.15 sharp,
Messrs. LEARMONTH, DICKINSON, and CO.'S shipment of Scotch flooring and lining boards ex Madeira, from the celebrated works of Messrs. R. Millar and Sons, Montrose, comprising—
520 boards, 6 x ¾, T. and G.
540 boards, 6 x ⅝ ditto
1500 ditto, 6 x ½, ditto and beaded
Of the finest quality.
Terms liberal.

The shipment is now landing, and buyers are invited to inspect the quality.

TUESDAY NEXT, November 19.

THOMAS FISHER and CO. will hold their usual drapery sale on TUESDAY NEXT, at their Rooms, 422, George-street.

Details in future issue.

DRAPERY SALE.

TO-MORROW, Tuesday, November 13.

THOMAS FISHER and CO. will sell by auction, on TUESDAY next, at their Rooms, 422, George-street, at 11 o'clock prompt,
Invoices of new and seasonable drapery—
WOOLLENS, CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS, &c.
HOSIERY, &c.
Terms at sale.

FANCY LIGHT-GROUND PRINTS.

THOMAS FISHER and CO. will sell by auction, on TUESDAY, 19th instant, at 11 o'clock,
1 case fancy light-ground prints.
Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, the 19th, at 11.

TRIAL SHIPMENT OF
HILDER'S CELEBRATED BRIGHTON ALE.

JAMES RODD (successor to the late Charles Teakle) is instructed to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street,
53 HOGSHEADS and
20 BARRELS of
Hilder's Brighton ale, in perfect condition.

Sample barrel at the Rooms for intending purchasers is now ready for inspection.

☞ WEDNESDAY'S DRAPERY SALE.

JAMES RODD (successor to the late Charles Teakle), will hold his usual sale of
DRAPERY, CLOTHING, HOSIERY, FANCY GOODS, &c., &c.
Full particulars in future issue.

TUESDAY, November 19.

For Sale by Auction.
10 CASES HEYWOOD'S CANE-SEAT ROUND BACK DINING CHAIRS.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell by AUCTION, at their Rooms, 141, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, November 19, at 11 a.m.,
10 cases Heywood's chairs, as above.
Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 19th NOVEMBER.

For Sale by Auction.
BRICKMAKING MACHINE WITH HORSE-WORKS, &c.

To Brickmakers, Builders, Speculators, and others.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell by AUCTION, at their Rooms, 141, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 19th NOVEMBER, at 11 a.m.
A brickmaking machine with horse-works, &c., capable of turning out 2000 BRICKS PER DAY at a very small cost for labour.

NO RESERVE.

Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 19th NOVEMBER.

Continuation of Sale by Auction of
FANCY GOODS, GLASSWARE, &c.
consisting of
DOLLS, PURSES
TIN TOYS, BOHEMIAN VASES
BRUSHWARE, ALBUMS
PORTMANTEAUS, BAGS
PIPES, MEERSCHAUM and WOOD
LUSTRES and DROPS, &c., &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above goods by AUCTION, at their Rooms, 141, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 19th NOVEMBER, at 11 a.m.
Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 19th NOVEMBER.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,
with all faults,
ex Cairnbulg, from London,
1 CASE containing 8 4-POST DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEADS.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 141, PITT-STREET, ON TUESDAY, 19th NOVEMBER, at 11 a.m.,
1 case double iron bedsteads as above.
NO RESERVE.
Terms cash.

THURSDAY, 21st NOVEMBER,
for Sale by Auction,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANOFORTE, &c.,
the property of a gentleman leaving the colony,
removed to the Rooms for convenience of sale,
consisting of
PIANOFORTE BY CHAPPELL, equal to new
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, Music Stool
CARPETS, Hearthrugs, Pictures
MIRORS, Sideboard, Curtain Poles
CENTRE TABLE, Writing Table
BRONZE STATUETTES, Jardinieres
ORNAMENTS, Lamps
WARDROBES, Plate-glass Door
CHEST OF DRAWERS, Dressing Tables
BEDSTEADS and BEDDING, Washstands
DINNER SERVICE, Glassware
ELECTROPLATED WARE, Cutlery
&c., &c., &c.
To Furniture Warehouseman, Dealers, Persons Furnishing, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 141, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, 21st NOVEMBER, at 11 a.m.
The above household furniture, pianoforte, &c., removed to their Rooms, for convenience of sale.
NO RESERVE.
Terms at sale.

EARTHENWARE, CHINA, GLASSWARE
GOTHIC and COTTAGE CLOCKS
TWINES, REVOLVERS
OPERA GLASSES, &c.
98 Packages, now landing ex Brilliant.

FOR ABSOLUTE UNRESERVED SALE.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, 19th instant, at 11 o'clock.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, To-morrow, TUESDAY,
75 crates EARTHENWARE, comprising
Albion and pheasant dinnerware, including plates, dishes, &c., in all the usual requisite sizes
Fancy printed and sponged breakfasts and saucers
Jugs, in sets of 3, in tulip, fern, Italian, and other patterns
Printed bowls, pudding bowls
C. C. and printed chambers
Printed toiletware, &c., &c.
Also, a number of assorted crates, including all the above ware.
3 hogsheads fancy painted and gilt TOILET SETS
3 ditto ditto JUGS, in sets of 3
2 ditto jugs, in sets of 3, white stone
1 hogshead dinner sets, ground and gilt, 54 pieces each
2 hogsheads China TEA SETS, very handsomely painted
2 ditto ditto flat candlesticks, painted and gilt
1 cask japanned and platedware, in toilet sets, meat dishes, vegetable dishes, plate covers, &c.
12 cases superior AMERICAN CLOCKS, Gothic and cottage alarm; also, Seth Thomas's NUTMEG LEVERS, with and without alarm
10 cases TWINES, assorted tea, Italian, and fine
3 ditto best seaming twine, 3 ply
1 ditto superior REVOLVERS, sizes 6, 9, and 12, M-M
1 ditto OPERA GLASSES, in leather cases, 2 nos.
Terms at sale.

Preliminary.

To Warehousemen, Drapers, Clothiers, and others.

GENT.'S and YOUTHS' CLOTHING, PRINTS, LONGCLOTHS, GREYS, QUILTS
LINEN GOODS, DRESS MATERIALS, TICKS, FURNITURE, REPS
TAPESTRY CARPETS, RUGS, HATS, SHIRTS, HOSIERY, &c.

Now landing ex Brilliant and La Hogue.

On THURSDAY and FRIDAY next, 21st and 22nd instant, at 11 a.m.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY next,
85 packages of the above.

Details on Wednesday.

VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY.

Nos. 388 and 390, PITT-STREET.

TWO SUBSTANTIAL BRICK HOUSES, with large TWO-STORIED STORES at the rear,

between LIVERPOOL and BATHURST STREETS,
near ST. ANDREW'S SCHOOL.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by AUCTION, at their LAND SALE ROOMS, 155, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, November 10, at 11.30 prompt,
All that BLOCK of LAND, having a frontage of 46 feet 10 inches to PITT-STREET, by a depth of 114 feet 8 inches, upon which are erected
TWO FIVE-ROOMED DWELLINGS,
with ENTRANCE HALL, KITCHEN, SERVANT'S ROOM, and GOOD YARD.

At the rear
is the LARGE and COMMODIOUS STORES at present occupied by Messrs. MYERS and SOLOMON, and approached by a covered 8 feet 6 inch entrance from Pitt-street, between the
TWO DWELLING HOUSES,
consisting of THREE LARGE STORES, each of TWO STORIES, measuring 44 feet x 16 feet 7 inches, 18 feet 9 x about 12 feet, and 17 feet 4 x 9 feet, capable of storing a large quantity of merchandise.

This property is now realizing a rental of £182 per annum, and is rapidly increasing in value.
First-class title. Terms liberal.

CITY PROPERTY.

425, and 427, KENT-STREET SOUTH, and 8 HOUSES at the REAR,

between DRUITT-STREET and MARKET-STREET,
opposite ST. JOHN'S CHAPEL,

and near the CITY FOUNDRY.

MILLS and PILE will sell by auction, at their LAND SALE ROOMS, 154, PITT-STREET, opposite the POST OFFICE, on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10th, at 11.30 prompt,
All that block of land, situated on the WEST side of KENT-STREET, near the RAGGED SCHOOL, having a frontage of about 42 feet, by a depth of 120 feet more or less, and known as
ONUS-PLACE,
upon which are erected
TEN BRICK HOUSES,
two of which have frontages of about 16 feet each to KENT-STREET, and numbered 425 and 427, the remaining EIGHT being built at the rear.
THE WHOLE BLOCK
produces a rental of £210 18s per annum, and is admirably situated for a MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENT or FACTORY.
First-class title. Terms at sale.

PRELIMINARY.

MACDONALD TOWN.

BUILDING BLOCKS.

NEAR RAILWAY PLATFORM.

MILLS and PILE will sell by AUCTION, ON THE GROUND on, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 30th, at 3 o'clock,
Eligible building sites.
Full particulars in a few days.
Freehold title.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

FREEHOLD ALLOTMENTS.

WATERLOO.

MILLS and PILE will sell by AUCTION, at their LAND SALE ROOMS, 154, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3rd, at 11.30 prompt,
CHOICE BUILDING ALLOTMENTS.
Full particulars will be published in a future advertisement.
Terms at sale.

MARRICKVILLE.

COMMODIOUS COTTAGE RESIDENCE,

EIGHT ROOMS, KITCHEN, and STABLING.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by PRIVATE CONTRACT, at their Rooms, 154, PITT-STREET, opposite POST OFFICE,
A very commodious cottage, built of BRICK containing EIGHT ROOMS, KITCHEN, STABLING, and
1¼ acre of land,
situated at MARRICKVILLE on the COOK'S RIVER NEW ROAD.
FIRST-CLASS TITLE.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY.

CITY FREEHOLD, GOULBURN-STREET.

TWO FOUR-ROOMED BRICK HOUSES.

SITUATED EAST from ELIZABETH-STREET.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, November 19, at 11.30 prompt,
A valuable property on the north side of Goulburn-street, a few doors east of Elizabeth-street.

The land has a frontage of 45 feet 9 inches by a depth of about 60 feet to a wide lane at the rear.

The houses are built of brick, and contain each 4 rooms. There are also kitchens attached; and produce a present rental of £75 per annum.

There is vacant land on the street frontage, to allow of another house being built.

Plans now ready at the Rooms.
Title freehold. Terms liberal.

ST. LEONARDS, NORTH SHORE.

CHOICE VILLA SITES, FIRST-CLASS POSITION.

MILLS and PILE will sell by private contract, at their LAND SALE ROOMS, 154, PITT-STREET, opposite the POST OFFICE,
Splendid villa sites, in the immediate vicinity of the residence and grounds of W. Tunks, Esq.
Title, freehold. Terms liberal.

GLADESVILLE,

PARRAMATTA RIVER.

LARGE BLOCK of LAND, with WATER FRONTAGE,

WHARF ROAD, near the STEAMERS' WHARF.

MILLS and PILE will sell by private contract, at their LAND SALE ROOMS, 154, PITT-STREET, opposite the POST OFFICE,
All that MAGNIFICENT VILLA SITE, having 210 feet frontage to the WHARF ROAD, by a depth of about 640 feet to the water frontage Parramatta River
Torrens' title.

THIS DAY.

ST. JOHN'S ROAD, FOREST LODGE.

USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

COTTAGE PIANOFORTE by PALING.

AUCTION SALE THIS DAY, MONDAY,
NOVEMBER 18, at 11 o'clock.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction,
ON THE PREMISES,
three doors from the
Old FOREST LODGE HOTEL,
ST. JOHN'S ROAD,
THIS DAY, Monday, NOVEMBER 18, at 11 o'clock,
COTTAGE PIANOFORTE, nearly new
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE and FURNITURE
BEDROOM FURNITURE and BEDDING
BREAKFAST and DINNER SETS
CHAIRS, TABLES, and SUNDRIES,
Terms, cash.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY.

A BEAUTIFUL and CHARMING

FIRST-CLASS VILLA RESIDENCE,
of about 20 rooms,

with
CONSERVATORIES, GARDENS, and GROUNDS,
laid out with
EXQUISITE TASTE
for
PLEASURE, CONVENIENCE, and COMFORT.

LOVELY CROQUET LAWN and BOWLING GREEN.

AVONA.

GLEBE POINT ROAD,

adjoining STRATHMORE,
THE FAMILY MANSION OF
Sir GEORGE WIGRAM ALLEN.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by AUCTION, at the LAND SALE ROOMS, 154, PITT-STREET, opposite the POST OFFICE, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, November 19, at 11.30 prompt,
All that MAGNIFICENT PROPERTY known as
AVONA,
situate on the GLEBE POINT ROAD, at the corner of FORSYTHE-STREET, directly opposite TOXTETH-PARK, and containing by admeasurement 2 acres, on which is erected a
MOST COMMODIOUS FAMILY RESIDENCE,
replete with every possible appliance and convenience for
DOMESTIC COMFORT
that money can procure.

THE BUILDING is of modern construction,
FAITHFULLY and SUBSTANTIALLY BUILT,
having a beautiful LAWN, FLOWER GARDEN, and CARRIAGE DRIVE to the FRONT ENTRANCE, which has a handsome portico and verandah of 50 feet, with commanding entrance hall 13 feet 6 inches x 16 feet 9 inches, giving access to
the NOBLE ROOMS on the
GROUND FLOOR,
and likewise
THE GRAND POLISHED CEDAR STAIRCASE
leading to the
FAMILY SLEEPING APARTMENTS.

The dimensions of the
SPLENDID ROOMS on the GROUND FLOOR
are as follows:—
HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM, 25 feet by 19 feet
DINING-ROOM, 21 feet x 19 feet
OCCASIONAL ROOM, 26 feet x 18 feet
READING-ROOM, 12 feet 4 inches x 16 feet 8 inches
STORE LINEN CLOSET, 10 feet x 6 feet
LIBRARY, 12 feet 7 inches x 12 feet 3 inches
MAIN ENTRANCE HALL, 14 feet x 17 feet, with handsome CEDAR STAIRCASE leading to SPACIOUS LANDING 20 feet x 9 feet 3 inches.

On the FIRST FLOOR—
No. 1 BEDROOM, 13 feet 8 inches x 20 feet 8 inches
DRESSING-ROOM adjoining, 13 feet 6 inches x 7 feet 3 inches
BATHROOM and W. C., with plunge and shower bath, 11 feet 3 inches x 12 feet 3 inches
With HOT and COLD WATER SUPPLY laid on, and W. C. adjoining.
LINEN STOREROOM, 7 feet 3 inches x 5 feet, with shelving
No. 2 BEDROOM, 16 ft 3 inches x 18 feet 9 inches
No. 3 ditto, 12 feet 3 inches x 12 feet 1 inch.

SECOND FLOOR.
No. 4 BEDROOM, 16 feet 9 inches x 9 feet 4 inches
No. 5 ditto, 16 feet 8 inches x 13 feet 11 inches
No. 6 ditto, 24 feet 9 inches x 9 feet 4 inches
No. 7 ditto, 20 feet x 19 feet 2 inches
No. 8 ditto, 16 feet 8 inches x 12 feet 6 inches.

The GAS is laid on to every room in the house, the whole of which are VENTILATED on the most APPROVED PRINCIPLES.

These fine rooms are all finished with cement skirtings, and command
EXTENSIVE VIEWS OF THE CITY.

The DRAWING-ROOM and DINING-ROOM
both open by FRENCH WINDOWS on to
THE FINE VERANDAH,
fitted with SHIFTING BLINDS and GAS BURNERS,
overlooking the
MAGNIFICENT FLOWER GARDEN,
TASTEFULLY laid out, and PLANTED with the choicest of
HORTICULTURAL GEMS
of flowers and flowering shrubs, in the centre of which is a
BEAUTIFUL FOUNTAIN,
CROQUET LAWN, and BOWLING GREEN,
TWO GLASS CONSERVATORIES, HOTHOUSE, and TWO FERNERIES, with brick furnace, &c., connected.

THE CUISINE ARRANGEMENTS are PERFECTION.

The kitchen, 23 feet 9 inches x 21 feet 6 inches, has a CEMENTED FLOOR, FIRST-CLASS COOKING STOVE, with every convenience. The SCULLERY adjoining is well fitted in every respect.

THE STOREROOM
is conveniently situated, with ample accommodation.

THE CELLARS in the BASEMENT are not to be surpassed for temperature, and

THE STABLING arrangements consist of FOUR-STALL STABLE, DOUBLE COACHHOUSE, GIGHOUSE, HARNESS room (properly fitted), MAN'S ROOM, &c.

Detached from the house is an excellent LAUNDRY, adjoining the DRYING GROUND.

Water laid on to all the premises.

☞ The auctioneers desire to call particular attention to this
UNIQUE PROPERTY.
Its position was chosen many years ago on account of the
SELECT CHARACTER of the NEIGHBOURHOOD.
And the purchaser will reap the full benefit of the
INCALCULABLE EXPENSE and CARE
that have been expended for years past to bring the property to its
PRESENT PERFECTION,
as the surroundings of the
FINE FULL-GROWN ORNAMENTAL TREES
CANNOT BE MADE TO ORDER.

The plants in the FLOWER GARDEN have been gathered from all parts where the CHOICEST were to be
PROCURED FOR MONEY,
and the
ROSES OF AVONA,
as is well known, have carried off the last five years' prizes at the
HORTICULTURAL SHOWS,
many of the plants having cost £3 3s each.

Title, first-class.

Terms.—One-fourth cash, one-fourth in six months, remainder of the purchase money can remain for three or five years at six per cent. interest.

N.B.—Plans of the property may be had at the rooms of the auctioneers, showing the east and west views of the house, and the whole of the ornamental grounds and streets.

A superior class of 'buses passes the gate every ten minutes, plying to and from the city.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

TWO GENTEEL FAMILY DWELLINGS

GLENMORE ROAD, PADDINGTON.

To Government and Mercantile Clerks.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, opposite the Post Office, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, November 19, at 11.30 prompt,
Choice block of land, having a frontage of 50 feet to the Glenmore Road, near the corner of Hope-street, by a depth of 144 feet, on which is erected
TWO Six-roomed DWELLINGS
each with bath, kitchen, scullery, shed, and other conveniences.
Built of Brick, on stone foundations.
City Water and Gas laid on.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

Particulars of title can be had at Messrs. Shorter and Fitzgerald's, solicitors, 155, Castlereagh-street.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY.

CITY BLOCK,

BELMORE-STREET,

near DARLING HARBOUR WHARF.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by public AUCTION, at their Rooms, 154, PITT-STREET, at 11.30 prompt, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, November 19,
Lot 9 of section 1 of the Government allotment at the HEAD of DARLING HARBOUR, having 30 feet frontage to BELMORE-STREET, with a depth to a lane of 70 feet.

This allotment is immediately between C. B. Bond's and J. J. Waddell's purchases.
TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

Terms, cash.

CLOSE TO THE RAILWAY STATION.

ROOKWOOD.

36 ALLOTMENTS,

BUILDING SITES and BUSINESS POSITIONS,
in the centre of the
TOWNSHIP of ST. JOSEPH,
between the RAILWAY STATION and
THE NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL,
and on both sides of the
MAIN STREET.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by auction, ON THE GROUND, on SATURDAY, November 30, at 3 o'clock,
36 fine building sites and good business positions, fronting both sides of JOHN-STREET, which is the MAIN ROAD from PARRAMATTA ROAD to THE STATION; also MARY-STREET, Ann-street, the RAILWAY, and TWO NEW STREETS.
Each allotment will have 40 feet frontage and a good depth.
Terms easy. Title good.

Lithograph plans will be ready for issue in a few days.

Auction Sales.

MONDAY, 18th instant.
Boots and Shoes. Boots and Shoes.
New and seasonable Goods just landed ex late arrivals in
Ladies',
Gent's,
Maids',
Girls' and Children's
Boots and Shoes,
in new and elegant styles, expressly ordered for the approaching holiday season.

To the Trade, Country Storekeepers, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY is favoured with instructions from the proprietors to sell by auction, in his Rooms, No. 239, George-street North, THIS DAY, the 18th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt.

The above.

Entirely without reserve.
Terms liberal at sale.

By Order of the Trustees of the late HUGH FAIRCLOUGH, Esq.

ST. PETER'S and TEMPE, PARISH of PETERSHAM.

RESPECTIVELY TWO FIRST-CLASS ALLOTMENTS.

CAMPBELL and UNWIN STREETS.

ALLOTMENT No. 21, SECTION 1, 33 FEET FRONTAGE to CAMPBELL-STREET, ST. PETER'S, by 73 FEET DEEP.

ALLOTMENT No. 6, SECTION 8, 31 FEET FRONTAGE to UNWIN-STREET, TEMPE, by 99 FEET DEEP.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON are instructed by the TRUSTEES in the ESTATE OF THE LATE HUGH FAIRCLOUGH, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the ROOMS, 273, GEORGE-STREET, on TUESDAY, the 19th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,

All those two very excellently situated allotments in the TOWN of ST. PETER'S and VILLAGE of TEMPE, and having respectively a frontage of 33 FEET to CAMPBELL-STREET by 73 FEET DEEP, and 31 FEET to UNWIN-STREET by 99 FEET DEEP.

☞ These are desirable allotments, specially selected, and are being sold only to close trust accounts.

PLANS are on view at the ROOMS.

Any further particulars will be afforded by the Auctioneers.

Title at the office of Thos. Salter, Esq., solicitor, Pitt-street.

By order of the Trustees of the late HUGH FAIRCLOUGH, Esq.,

PARRAMATTA JUNCTION and PARRAMATTA SOUTH.

VALUABLE SUBDIVIDED BLOCK.

25 ACRES, EXCLUSIVE OF ROADS.
The whole already SURVEYED, MAPPED, and PLANNED from a gross area of 34 acres, IN ONE LOT.

To close Partnership Accounts.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE CAPTAIN FAIRCLOUGH.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON are instructed by the trustees of the late HUGH FAIRCLOUGH Esq., to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, 273, George-street, on TUESDAY, the 19th NOVEMBER, at 11 O'CLOCK a.m.

The whole of that VALUABLE and WELL LAID OUT BLOCK OF LAND at the PARRAMATTA JUNCTION, including portion of PARRAMATTA SOUTH, and comprising a nett area, exclusive of roads, of 25 ACRES of the BEST and MOST SALABLE LAND in this now HIGHLY ESTEEMED DISTRICT.

This is unquestionably the most eligibly situated block of land in this very popular locality, a visit to which will amply testify.

The purchaser of this most desirable ESTATE will acquire all the ADVANTAGES OF A CAREFUL SURVEY, and LAYING OUT OF THE LAND, together with PLAN OF SAME, NOW ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS.

TERMS are HALF CASH, the BALANCE AT SIX MONTHS, or over an extended period as arranged.

For title, apply to Thomas Salter, Esq., solicitor, Pitt-street.

N.B.—It may be as well to state that the Government are now laying a DOUBLE LINE OF RAILWAY to Parramatta. That a HANDSOME and COMMODIOUS PASSENGER STATION is about to be erected opposite the LAND FOR SALE, as also a BRIDGE across the line for the convenience of passengers. These works speak for themselves, and establish the GREAT and INCREASING value of the
25 ACR ESNOW FOR SALE.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

By order of the Trustees of the late HUGH FAIRCLOUGH, Esq.

FIVE ACRES, IRON COVE, near the intended NEW BRIDGES, FIVE DOCK.
Allotments 1, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, and 22.

All the VERY BEST SELECTED in the TOWNSHIP, and most desirably situated, facing the placid and picturesque water of the well-known IRON COVE, PARRAMATTA RIVER.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON are instructed by the Trustees of the late HUGH FAIRCLOUGH, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 273, George-street, on TUESDAY, 19th November, at 11 o'clock,
THE WHOLE OF THESE FIVE ACRES,
embracing TEN ALLOTMENTS, all having a good frontage and depth.

The plan of this now growing and popular locality showing the several allotments, is on view at the Rooms, where intending purchasers can inspect and judge for themselves of the advantages to be acquired by securing selections in so CHARMING A NEIGHBOURHOOD.

There is no need to now especially describe the land, as intending buyers will no doubt visit the spot and find a much higher realisation of its beauties than the auctioneers can possibly depict.

The title can be seen at the offices of THOMAS SALTER, Esq., Solicitor, Pitt-street.

Terms at sale.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

LIVERPOOL ROAD, ENFIELD.

MAGNIFICENT BLOCK OF LAND,

CONTAINING NEARLY 15 ACRES,

HAVING EXTENSIVE FRONTAGES TO LIVERPOOL ROAD, and ROWLAND-STREET.

. A VERY DESIRABLE SITE for a SUBURBAN RESIDENCE, or suitable for SUBDIVISION.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from Mr. J. LYNCH to sell by auction, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, November 27th,

All that VALUABLE BLOCK of LAND at the junction of ROWLAND-STREET with LIVERPOOL ROAD, adjoining L. Cervetto's property, containing an area of 14 acres 3 roods 11 perches.

This land is elevated and commands a fine view of the pretty country around.

THE AUCTIONEERS' instructions are to sell IN ONE BLOCK, thus affording an opportunity to speculators and others to secure an INTACT BLOCK in this FAVOURITE LOCALITY.

TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

GRAND CITY INVESTMENT.

VALUABLE WHARF PROPERTY.

STREET'S WHARF. STREET'S WHARF.

DARLING HARBOUR and SUSSEX-STREET.

Preliminary Intimation.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the PROPRIETOR to sell by auction, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, ON AN EARLY DATE (due notice of which will be given),

All that VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY, known as STREET'S WHARF, having 134 feet, more or less, frontage to SUSSEX-STREET, and extending to the DEEP WATERS of DARLING HARBOUR, with all the BUILDINGS, including hotel, &c., WHARF and JETTY, erected thereon.

☞ The land contains an area of nearly TWO ACRES, and is, without exaggeration, one of the most valuable INTACT WHARF PROPERTIES in the HARBOUR of PORT JACKSON.

The position of STREET'S WHARF is very generally known, occupying a VERY LARGE FRONTAGE to the west side of SUSSEX STREET, a few yards south of KING-STREET, between the properties of Messrs. WENTWORTH and FAGAN, BROTHERS, close to the MARKET WHARF, and PYRMONT BRIDGE, and right on the main BUSINESS THOROUGHFARE, from all the WHARFS near to and surrounding this VALUABLE FREEHOLD.

SALE PLAN is now in course of preparation.

. Further particulars will be duly published; meanwhile any information respecting the property can be obtained on application to THE AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION SALE.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, at 11.30 o'clock.

TWO SEMI-DETACHED VILLA RESIDENCES,

WILLIAM-STREET, PADDINGTON,

overlooking THE HARBOUR and the UNDERWOOD ESTATE.

Torrens' Title.

HARDIE and GORMAN have been favoured with instructions from THE PROPRIETOR to sell by auction, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, at 11 30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 27th NOVEMBER,

All that valuable piece of land in William-street, Paddington, lot 6, section 10, having 32 feet 3 inches frontage, immediately adjoining Broughton's wall, on which are, TWO CAPITAL DWELLING-HOUSES, built of BRICK on STONE, cemented, with verandah front and side, and slated roofs, each containing 5 rooms and kitchen, and having a really good water supply.

Easy terms of purchase can be arranged.

. The Auctioneers would direct the special attention of persons who may be on the look out for a compact well-built freehold property, to the auction sale, as above.

The situation is charming, the views of the harbour are unsurpassed, and the convenient distance from town is such, that the houses will always command careful tenants.

Torrens' Title.
Day of sale, WEDNESDAY, 27th November.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, 18th NOVEMBER, AT 11 O'CLOCK PROMPT.

MOST IMPORTANT, ATTRACTIVE, and POSITIVELY UNRESERVED SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
at
MOIRA, BURWOOD, the RESIDENCE of L. M. HARRISON, Esq.,
on
MONDAY NEXT,
of
the WHOLE of his MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE of the BEST QUALITY.

TABLE GLASS, VERY CHOICE and RICHLY CUT, and comprises a VERY BEAUTIFUL Suite of Glass
CHASTELY CUT and ENGRAVED DECANTERS
White and Gold China BREAKFAST SERVICE
Ditto ditto COFFEE SERVICE
HANDSOME Green and Gold HAND-PAINTED China DESSERT SERVICE, 50 PIECES
Ditto Blue and Gold CHINA DESSERT SERVICE, 25 PIECES
VERY CHOICE PINK and GOLD PORCELAIN DINNER SERVICE, 100 PIECES
VERY HANDSOME CUTLERY
COMPLETE DINING-ROOM FURNITURE
MAGNIFICENT 21-DAY BLACK MARBLE CLOCK
Plaister Group, "THE FAVOURED SCHOLAR," by Rogers
ELAGANT CEDAR BOOKCASES, with glass doors
COMPLETE BREAKFAST ROOM FURNITURE
HANDSOME Walnut Wood CLOCK
SUBSTANTIAL CEDAR SIDEBOARD, with drawers and cellaret
VERY CHOICE BRUSSELS CARPETS
BRONZE UMBRELLA STAND
SPLENDID WALNUT WOOD DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, covered in green figured silk, consisting of Six Chairs, Easy and Victoria Chairs, Foot Stools, &c.
MAGNIFICENT WALNUT-WOOD TRICHORD PIANOFORTE, by Kirkman, in perfect order, and quite equal to a new instrument. COST 120 GUINEAS
OIL PAINTING in Gilt Frame—"WATERFALL BY MOONLIGHT," by J. B. Carse
PAIR of SPLENDID OIL PAINTINGS—"Lake Scenes," by J. B. Carse
Very CHASTE and Rare DRAWING-ROOM ORNAMENTS and ARTICLES of VERTU
COMPLETE SITTING-ROOM FURNITURE
STATUETTE, "GRIEF," under glass shade
HANDSOME PIER GLASSES
Splendid ROSEWOOD PIANOFORTE by Aucher Freres
ENGRAVING—PROOF
The COMPLETE FURNITURE of 5 BEDROOMS
HANDSOME FOUR-POST BRASS BEDSTEADS, Mattresses, Palliasses, &c., &c.
SPLENDID CEDAR DOUBLE-WINGED WARDROBE, Plate-glass Centre Doors
CHESTS of DRAWERS
Complete Sets of HANDSOME TOILETS, comprising WASHSTANDS, MARBLE TOPS, and Dressing Table, with Spring Glass, &c., &c.
OTTOMAN COUCH.
First-class SEWING-MACHINE, by Wilcox and Gibbs
BEDROOM ORNAMENTS
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS
GARDEN SEATS
GARDEN IMPLEMENTS, &c., &c.
Also,
A SPLENDID FULL-SIZED BILLIARD TABLE, in WALNUT WOOD, by Alcock, with CUES, BALLS, RESTS, MARKERS, STANDS, all complete.

. This MAGNIFICENT BILLIARD TABLE (quite equal to NEW) was manufactured specially to Mr. Harrison's order by Messrs. Alcock, the well-known makers, at a WHOLESALE COST of 154 GUINEAS.

Also, the complete Fittings of the Billiard Room.

To GENTLEMEN FURNISHING, COMMISSION AGENTS, BROKERS, and OTHERS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have been favoured with instructions from L. M. HARRISON, Esq., to sell by auction, at his residence,
MOIRA, BURWOOD,
at 11 o'clock,
THIS DAY, MONDAY, 18th NOVEMBER,
the WHOLE of the ABOVE VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

CATALOGUES are OBTAINABLE at the ROOMS.
INSPECTION is INVITED for SATURDAY, 16th instant, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and on the DAY of SALE from 9 a.m.
INTENDING PURCHASERS are REQUESTED to ENTER PREMISES by BELMORE-STREET.

MOIRA is within ONE MINUTE'S walk of the 'BURWOOD RAILWAY STATION.

☞ The AUCTIONEERS desire to intimate that it is impossible within the limits of an advertisement to convey a correct idea of the CHOICE and SUPERB furniture at MOIRA.

Suffice it to say that the sale will be BONA FIDE, and ABSOLUTELY UNRESERVED.

TERMS, CASH.

MOST IMPORTANT SALE
by order of the
PROPRIETORS FOR THE LAST TWENTY YEARS.

TO SPECULATORS, INVESTORS, and OTHERS.

SEA VIEW, PETERSHAM.
The choicest position in this advancing suburb, opposite to WARDELL HILL, overlooking the UNDERWOOD ESTATE at ASHFIELD, and CAMBERWELL GROVE, and commanding uninterrupted WATER VIEWS.

TERMS, EASY. TORRENS'S TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN will submit to public competition, under instructions from the PROPRIETORS, on the ground,

on SATURDAY, 23rd November, at 3 o'clock,

All that elevated block of land at PETERSHAM, known as SEA VIEW, SEA VIEW, containing an area of nearly TWENTY ACRES, bounded by the NEW CANTERBURY ROAD, MARRICKVILLE ROAD, FAIRFOWL-STREET, FRAZER-STREET, SEA VIEW-STREET, YULE-STREET, and HERBERT-STREET, and now subdivided into CHOICE SITES and BUILDING ALLOTMENTS by Mr. Surveyor Reuss, jun. as follows:—

SECTION 1 CONTAINS 17 LOTS
Ditto 2 ditto 15 ditto
Ditto 3 ditto 34 ditto
Ditto 4 ditto 35 ditto.

. This grand property is for BONA FIDE SALE, on account of the PROPRIETOR, who HAS HELD it FOR MANY YEARS so that intending purchasers will have an opportunity of securing LARGE BLOCKS, or separate allotments, much more advantageously than would have been possible had this large block been first purchased by SPECULATORS.

Remember,
SEA VIEW—SEA VIEW
overlooks
CAMBERWELL GROVE,
is opposite to
WARDELL-HILL,
and fronts the
NEW CANTERBURY
and other
MAIN ROADS
at
PETERSHAM.

This grand estate is surrounded by FIRST-CLASS PROPERTIES, and commands extensive views, embracing ASHFIELD, CANTERBURY, BOTANY, and THE CITY OF SYDNEY.

The Auctioneers have every confidence in calling the attention of their clients and the public generally to this POSITIVE SALE.

Each site is elevated, and most accessible, and from its position, viz., the CORNER BLOCK, of TWO MAIN THOROUGHFARES, this land must continue to INCREASE IN VALUE.

Opportunity will be given to secure CONSECUTIVE SITES, so as to form, if desired, LARGE BLOCKS, suitable for FUTURE SUBDIVISION or for GENTLEMEN'S RESIDENCES.

SALE PLAN IS NOW ON VIEW. INSPECTION OF THE LAND is invited, as it is without doubt the BEST PROPERTY now in the market for ABSOLUTE SALE, and situate at PETERSHAM.

LITHOGRAPHS OBTAINABLE.
Sale Day,
SATURDAY, 23rd NOVEMBER.

UNRESERVED SALE.

WATSON'S BAY.

WATERSIDE COTTAGE RESIDENCE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell POSITIVELY by auction, at their Central Sale Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 20th NOVEMBER.

That MARINE COTTAGE RESIDENCE, fronting the BEACH of CAMP COVE, and bounded at the rear by VICTORIA-STREET, constructed of weatherboard on stone foundations, and containing 4 rooms, with grates, stove, and every convenience, and nearly NEW; at present bringing in a weekly rental of 14s.

To YACHTSMEN and others this opportunity should be availed of to secure a waterside home convenient to PIER, and healthily situated.

DAY OF SALE, 20th NOVEMBER.

On THURSDAY, 21st NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.

At BALMORAL HOUSE, 113, PHILLIP-STREET.

UNRESERVED SALE OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising
ELEGANT DINING-ROOM SUITE, covered in leather, consisting 12 Chairs, Easy Chair, and Couch
Dining Table, and 3 spare leaves
Carpets and Hearthrugs
Massive Pier Glass
Bedsteads, Bedding, &c.
Chests of Drawers
Horsehair covered Chairs
Washstands and Sets
Kitchen and Laundry Utensils
&c., &c., &c.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Commission Agents, and others.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at Balmoral House, 113, Phillip-street, at 11 o'clock, on THURSDAY, 21st November,
The whole of above valuable household furniture and effects.
TERMS, CASH.

WEDNESDAY, November 20.

ORDER OF SALE of sundry Properties, to be sold by public auction, at the CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 20th November.

DARLINGHURST. VICTORIA-STREET.	ALLOTMENT of LAND, having 25 FEET frontage to VICTORIA-STREET, adjoining LILLY VALE. Also, ALLOTMENT of LAND, having 18 FEET frontage to VICTORIA-STREET, adjoing DARWAN-TERRACE.
ST. PETERS. COOK'S RIVER ROAD.	HEATHCOTE, a FAMILY RESIDENCE, situate on the COOK'S RIVER ROAD.
CHIPPENDALE. VINE and EVELEIGH STREETS.	ALLOTMENTS of LAND, in the EVELEIGH HOUSE ESTATE, fronting VINE and EVELEIGH STREETS.
ST. PETERS. BROWN-STREET.	THREE well-built COTTAGES, situate in BROWN-STREET.
WAVERLEY. Anglesea and Penkivil streets.	ALLOTMENTS of LAND, fronting ANGLESEA and PENKIVIL STREETS, on 'BUS ROUTE.
WATSON'S BAY. CAMP COVE.	A MARINE COTTAGE RESIDENCE, fronting CAMP COVE and VICTORIA-STREET.

HARDIE and GORMAN,
AUCTIONEERS and VALUERS,
CENTRAL SALE ROOMS,
175, PITT-STREET.

VERY DESIRABLE RURAL HOME.

FAMILY RESIDENCE and GROUNDS, ASHFIELD PARK.

The CHOICEST and MOST ATTRACTIVE SUBURBAN RETREAT ON THE RAILWAY LINE.

That VERY VALUABLE and conveniently situated property known as ASHFIELD VALE, together with the PRETTY and HIGHLY IMPROVED GROUNDS, comprising in all SIXTEEN ACRES, the PROPERTY and RESIDENCE of A. J. WATT, Esq., having very EXTENSIVE FRONTAGES to PARRAMATTA ROAD and HENRY-STREET, opposite to YASMAR, the residence of Mrs. Learmonth, and in the immediate vicinity of the HIGHLY IMPROVED PROPERTIES of S. H. SMYTH, Esq., JAMES SANDY, Esq., and AUTON TANGE, Esq.

. A VERY DESIRABLE PROPERY for any gentleman on the look out for a GOOD HOME, or SUITABLE FOR SUBDIVISION.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from A. J. WATT, Esq. (in consequence of his projected departure for Europe), to sell by auction, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27th,
ASHFIELD VALE,
a FIRST-CLASS DWELLING HOUSE, built of brick on stone foundation, and containing on THE GROUND FLOUR, verandah, hall, DRAWING and DINING ROOMS, BREAKFAST-ROOM, and LARGE BEDROOM, besides kitchen, washhouse, &c., &c.
ON THE FIRST FLOOR 4 good bedrooms and linen closet, &c.

THE OUTHOUSES consist of COACHHOUSE, 2-STALL STABLE, MAN'S ROOM, &c., also hayshed and poultry house.

THE GROUNDS embrace an area of 16 ACRES of FINE CULTIVATION LAND, and are very judiciously divided into FLOWER GARDEN, KITCHEN GARDEN, ORCHARD, and ORANGERY, CULTIVATION and GRASS PADDOCKS.

The FLOWER GARDEN is a perfect HORTICULTURAL GEM, being very tastefully PLANNED OUT and filled with many and choice FLOWERS, SHRUBS, TREES, &c., in FULL GROWTH.

☞ The EXHIBITS of Mr. Watt at the WESTERN SUBURBS HORTICULTURAL SHOW have always secured the ADMIRATION of those present.

The grounds attached to ASHFIELD VALE command the NOBLE FRONTAGE of about 1200 FEET to PARRAMATTA ROAD, and no trouble or expense on the part of Mr. Watt has been spared to render the property A MOST DESIRABLE and COMPACT HOME.

☞ The auctioneers direct special attention to this ABSOLUTE SALE, in consequence of Mr. Watt's immediate departure for Europe.

SALE PLAN ON VIEW.
Title—ASHFIELD PARK ESTATE.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20th, 1878.

HEATHCOTE, COOK'S RIVER ROAD. ST. PETERS.

A most SUBSTANTIALLY BUILT FAMILY DWELLING HOUSE, with FIVE ACRES of LAND, near the residence of MICHAEL METCALFE, Esq., and the ENGLISH CHURCH, and opposite "THE GROVE," the residence of C. T. Richardson, Esq.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from T. Chalder, Esq., to sell by auction, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30, on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20th, 1878.

All that VALUABLE BLOCK of LAND fronting COOK'S RIVER ROAD, ST. PETERS, about FIVE ACRES in extent, on which is erected that VERY SUBSTANTIAL and roomy DWELLING HOUSE, known as "HEATHCOTE."
built of brick, on stone (WALLS 14 INCHES THICK), with slated roof, and containing FRONT and BACK VERANDAHS, HALL, DRAWING and DINING ROOMS 22 FEET LONG, BREAKFAST ROOM, 4 good bedrooms, linen closet, &c. Also, kitchen, storeroom, pantries, and spare room.
The OUTBUILDINGS comprise coach-house and harness-room, and 3-stall stable.

☞ The land has 230 FEET FRONTAGE to Cook's River Road, and 1000 feet to the road leading to Botany, and is fenced with white paling fence in front, and 6 feet fence at sides, and is very tastefully laid out in flower and kitchen gardens, cultivation paddock, &c.

"HEATHCOTE" adjoins LANCEFIELD, the residence of Mrs. Stenteford, and is on the main 'bus route, overlooking the pretty surrounding country, and is very healthily situated in this favourite locality.

Day of Sale, Wednesday, November 20th.

W. W. BILLYARD, Esq., Vendor's Solicitor.

UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20th.

BROWN-STREET, ST. PETERS.

VALUABLE FREEHOLD COTTAGE PROPERTY.

HARDIE and GORMAN are instructed to sell by auction, WITHOUT RESERVE, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, 175, Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20th, 1878,

All that Piece of Land situate in Brown-street, St. Peters, having 66 feet frontage by 100 feet depth, on which are erected THREE GOOD COTTAGE PROPERTIES.
Lot 1. Two semi-detached Cottages, each containing 2 rooms and kitchen, and let at 8s weekly.
Lot 2. Detached Cottage, hall, 4 rooms, and kitchen; let at 12s 6d weekly.

The above cottages are faithfully built of brick on stone, cemented, and from their position in this populous locality command constant tenancy.

Photos. of the above can be seen at the Rooms.

Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, 20th November.

ABSOLUTE SALE.

EVELEIGH RAILWAY STATION.

THREE BLOCKS OF GOOD BUILDING LAND.

TORRENS' TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN are instructed to sell by auction at their Central Sale Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at half-past 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 20th November,
Lot 1. Block of land, having 30 feet 8 inches frontage to Vine-street, by depth of 80 feet.
Lot 2. Two blocks of land, having together 60 feet frontage to Eveleigh-street (close to the railway), by depth of 80 feet to lane at the rear.

☞ The above blocks are situated near to the Eveleigh station, and within convenient walking distance of the city, and in a locality where property is rapidly increasing in value.

Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, November 20.

VICTORIA-STREET.

DARLINGHURST HEIGHTS.

TWO CHOICE VILLA SITES.

Terms: ½ CASH, and the BALANCE in 3 and 6 MONTHS, WITHOUT INTEREST.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from THE PROPRIETOR to sell by auction, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20th, 1878.

LOT 1.—ALL THAT VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND, having about 25 FEET frontage to VICTORIA-STREET, by a depth of about 100 feet to Chapman-lane at the rear, adjoining Lilly Vale, with all the improvements thereon.

. This good site is paling fenced in, well improved, and immediately available for building purposes. The locality is healthy, and the position accessible, only a few yards SOUTH of LIVERPOOL-STREET.

LOT 2.—BLOCK of LAND, adjoining DARWAN-TERRACE, near to LIVERPOOL-STREET and ST. JOHN'S CHURCH and SCHOOL, having about 18 FEET frontage to VICTORIA-STREET, by a depth of about 100 feet to a lane at the rear.

. This building allotment is opposite to Mr. SHIRLOW'S valuable property, a few yards NORTH of LIVERPOOL-STREET, and is well fenced in.

DAY OF SALE, NOVEMBER 20th.

GLEBE POINT, LEICHHARDT-STREET.

HOUSE built of brick on stone, slated roof, containing wide hall, seven rooms, kitchen, bathroom, &c.
TORRENS' TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30, on WEDNESDAY, 27th NOVEMBER,
All that piece of land having thirty feet frontage to LEICHHARDT-STREET by a depth of about 175 feet to OXLEY-STREET, to which it has a frontage of 20 FEET, upon which is erected the above-described property.

Two-thirds of the purchase money may remain if required.
WEDNESDAY, 27th NOVEMBER.

PAYTEN'S CELEBRATED HOTEL.

PARRAMATTA.

DAY of SALE,
Next THURSDAY, the 21st NOVEMBER, 11 o'clock.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at his ROOMS, 281, George-street, on
THURSDAY, the 21st NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
THAT OLD-ESTABLISHED HOUSE,
PAYTEN'S HOTEL,
PARRAMATTA,
so well-known throughout the Australian COLONIES,
fully furnished and found in all the requisites of a first-class house, and including EVERY COMFORT of a home, such as taste and affluence COULD ACQUIRE in this most delightful locality.
Together with
FURNITURE and FIXTURES of BAR and BILLIARD-ROOM.

FURNITURE and STOCK-IN-TRADE at a VALUATION.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

☞ Secure this property before the large expenditure of public money commences.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.

TERMS, LIBERAL, AT SALE.
Full particulars in Saturday's HERALD, ECHO, and EVENING NEWS.

TERMS OF SALE
of the balance of Sections
of the NORTH ANNANDALE ESTATE,
to be SOLD by
W. PRITCHARD,
on the Ground,
on SATURDAY next, the 23rd NOVEMBER,
ARE
20 per cent. cash (EQUAL TO ONE-FIFTH OF THE PURCHASE MONEY), the balance by equal instalments, extending over EIGHT years, bearing interest at the rate of SIX PER CENT. ONLY per annum.

☞ THE NORTH ANNANDALE ESTATE, like "OLD WINE, NEEDS NO BUSH," and WITHOUT EXCEPTION offers the BEST AND SUREST opportunity for investment AT PRESENT available in the colony, as from its NATURAL FEATURES and GEOGRAPHICAL POSITION, it must, of necessity become THE CENTRE of this, OUR GREAT CITY.

. The title is under Torrens' Act.
Omnibus will leave the Rooms of the Auctioneer, 281, George-street, on day of sale, to convey intending purchasers to the ground.

NORTH ANNANDALE
is the
PREMIER POSITION
for
VILLA RESIDENCES
in the
COLONY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from the S. F. L. CO. to sell by auction, ON THE GROUND,
on SATURDAY next, 23rd NOVEMBER, at 3 p.m.,
the balance of the unsold ALLOTMENTS of SECTIONS 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, having Frontages to JOHNSTONE-STREET (100 feet wide), ANNANDALE-STREET (80 feet wide), COLLINS, ROSS, TRAFALGAR, NELSON, PIPER, and VIEW STREETS, EACH 66 FEET WIDE.
THE TITLE IS UNDER TORRENS' ACT,
and the
TERMS OF SALE EXCEEDINGLY LIBERAL.

☞ THE AUCTIONEER in submitting this announcement considers it unnecessary to detail upon the UNPARALLELED FEATURES of this MAGNIFICENT ESTATE, and simply invites the public to INSPECT and JUDGE for THEMSELVES.

Plans and particulars at Sale Rooms.
☞ An Omnibus will leave the Auction Rooms, at 2.30 p.m., to convey intending buyers to the ground.

PARADISE PLACE,

off HOLT-STREET,

Two 4-roomed HOUSES and Allotment of Land.

For Positive and Unreserved Sale, on
THURSDAY NEXT, the 21st NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street,
On THURSDAY next, the 21st November, at 11 o'clock,
All those two 4-roomed houses and land fronting on PARADISE-PLACE, built of brick on stone foundation, shingled roofs, together with an allotment of land opposite suitable for a building site.
Title, freehold.
Terms, cash.
No reserve.

IMPERATIVE SALE.

UNRESEVED.

UNDER BILL OF SALE.

The WHOLE of JAMES ELLIS'S ENGINEERING AND FOUNDRY PLANT.
Also
the Unexpired term of Lease of Premises, subject to rental of 1s per week.

In one lot, or in lots to suit buyers.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions to sell by public auction, on the premises,
on WEDNESDAY next, the 20th NOVEMBER, at 11 O'CLOCK,
The whole of the Engineering and Foundry Plant, TOOLS of TRADE, &c., &c., &c., at ELLIS'S WORKS, GREEK-STREET, off BAY-STREET, GLEBE.

ENGINEERING PLANT,
consisting of
One 7-horse portable steam engine, vertical boiler, nearly new, and in first-class order
One vertical drilling machine, with movable table, nearly new, with drills and boring bar complete
One 9-inch new gap lathe, with tools, face plates, 12 feet bed, will take in 36 inches
One 12-inch lathe
One large brake lathe
One 5-inch lathe, suitable for wood work
Two bellows and forges, complete
Two new anvils
Stocks and dies,
with
Blacksmith's tools, drills, boring bars, steel-cutters, hammers, chisels
Five vices, nearly new.

FOUNDRY PLANT,
consisting of
Silent fan, nearly new; two cupolas, loam mill, moulding boxes
Weighing machine, shear legs with differential blocks; old scrap iron, &c., &c., &c.

Together with
THE RIGHT TITLE AND INTEREST
in the unexpired term of the LEASE of the premises.
Rental, 1s per week.
TERMS, CASH.

WARATAH VILLAS.

Alfred-street.

ST. LEONARDS.

Two very pretty Villa Residences
For Sale,
SEPARATELY or TOGETHER.

On THURSDAY next, the 21st November, 11 o'clock.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from W. H. Bogie, Esq., to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, on
THURSDAY, 14th November instant, at 11 o'clock,
Two allotments of land, having a frontage to ALFRED-STREET of 100 feet x 200 deep,
Upon which are erected
TWO NEATLY and SUBSTANTIALLY built weatherboard VILLAS.

No. 1—Containing hall, drawing room, dining room, and five bedrooms, kitchen, bath room, warehouse, and fowl houses, stable, coach house, and coachman's room, with large yard and outhouses.

No. 2—Hall, drawing, dining, and four bedrooms, kitchen, bath, wash and fowl houses, large yard, and outhouses, verandahs front and rear,
Ornamental flower gardens and lawns in front.
PLENTIFUL SUPPLY of PURE WATER.

The houses are well and faithfully built of seasoned timber, and well finished with cedar fittings.
Gas laid on, with handsome lustres, and are nearly new.
Title freehold. TERMS CASH.

THREE MODEL VILLA COTTAGES.

NORTH ANNANDALE.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

SEPARATELY or TOGETHER.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from JOHN YOUNG, Esq., to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street,

next THURSDAY, 21st NOVEMBER, at 11 O'CLOCK,

THREE COTTAGES,
DELIGHTFULLY SITUATED, in
JOHNSTONE-STREET,

NORTH ANNANDALE.

These cottages are of modern design, and substantially constructed upon
CONCRETE FOUNDATIONS,
with
SLATED ROOFS,
each having a frontage to
JOHNSTONE-STREET of 44 feet x 198 feet deep.

Halls, Verandahs, and Gardens in front.

DRAWING and DINING ROOMS, with folding doors.

BEDROOMS, KITCHENS, PANTRIES, Commodious CELLARAGE, and BATH-ROOMS.

STORES and SCULLERIES.

WASHHOUSES, with copper boiler and water laid on.

PERFECT DRAINAGE.

TORRENS' ACT TITLE.
Terms at sale.

ASHFIELD SOUTH.

BEAUTIFULLY Situated VILLA SITE, in Area 1 Acre 3 Roods 12 Perches, ASHFIELD-STREET, CANTERBURY HILL ESTATE, Adjoining the property belonging to F. Clissold, Esq., opposite HURLESTONE, the residence of J. Kinloch, Esq., about 10 minutes walk from the ASHFIELD RAILWAY STATION, and six minutes walk from the NEW RAILWAY PLATFORM, to be constructed on the Underwood Estate.

It has 228½ FEET frontage, with the good depth of 300 Feet.

. This elevated block of land, from its convenient distance from the Railway Station, and being surrounded by highly improved properties, can be recommended as a desirable Site for a FIRST CLASS FAMILY RESIDENCE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 22nd November, at 11 o'clock,

A Splendid Site, fronting Ashfield-street, which is well formed and metalled, and the main leading thoroughfare through the Canterbury Estate, Ashfield.

TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.
Plan on view at the Rooms.

HEREFORD ESTATE, GLEBE.

TASTEFULLY-FINISHED and WELL-BUILT two-story RESIDENCE, HEREFORD-STREET, west of the GLEBE ROAD, adjoining the RESIDENCE of THOMAS YORK, ESQ., and opposite the beautiful residence and grounds belonging to W. BULL, ESQ.

It is most substantially built of brick on stone foundation, with verandah front and back, also balcony in front, and contains hall, 4 rooms, washhouse, stable, fowlhouse, good yard; city water laid on.

In front of the residence is an ornamental batten fence, enclosing tastefully-arranged garden plots.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mr. EDWARD FISHBURN to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 22nd NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described pretty RESIDENCE, HEREFORD-STREET, GLEBE.
Plan at the Rooms. Terms at sale.

TO CAPITALISTS, SPECULATORS, and others.

LIVERPOOL ROAD, BURWOOD.

Large VALUABLE and favourably-situated BLOCK of LAND in area 5 ACRES 3 ROODS 10 PERCHES, fronting the LIVERPOOL ROAD, between the Mansions and Grounds belonging to JOSIAH MULLENS, Esq., and G. MURRAY, Esq., and adjoining the southern boundary of the ESTATE of W. FRIEND, Esq., together with the WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE thereon, about six minutes' walk from CROYDON and BURWOOD RAILWAY STATIONS.

☞ Particular attention is directed to this Sale, as affording an opportunity, now so seldom to be met with, for securing a LARGE, CHOICE, and VALUABLE BLOCK of LAND, within a reasonable distance of a RAILWAY STATION, and which must increase in value, and one that if judiciously subdivided will give the investor a very handsome return on his purchase.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 22nd November, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described extensive block of land, Liverpool Road, Croydon, together with the 4-roomed cottage thereon.
Plan on view at the Rooms.
Terms, liberal, at sale.

ASHFIELD RAILWAY STATION.

TWO FAVOURABLY SITUATED BUILDING SITES, ELIZABETH and BLAND STREETS, adjoining Mr. RALSTON'S LAND, at the corner of these thoroughfares, within sight of and only a few yards from the ASHFIELD RAILWAY STATION.

LOT 1 has 50 FEET frontage to ELIZABETH-STREET, with a depth of 198 feet.
LOT 2 has 40 feet frontage to BLAND-STREET with the great depth of 236 feet.

☞ The above are some of the few eligible Villa Sites now to be purchased in the most valuable and popular part of the healthful suburb of Ashfield. They are on the elevated land, on the north side of the railway line, a few yards from the Station.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 22nd November, at 11 o'clock,
Two choice building allotments, Bland's Estate, Ashfield.
Plan on view at the Rooms. Terms liberal.

SOUTH KINGSTON, NEWTOWN.

CLIFTON VILLA
and
ASHLEY VILLA,
TWO SEMI-DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCES, and tastefully laid-out GROUNDS, MOST BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED on
TRAFALGAR-TERRACE,
immediately at
STANMORE RAILWAY PLATFORM,
between
NEWTOWN and PETERSHAM.

IN ONE or TWO LOTS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 22nd November, at 11 o'clock,
All that large BLOCK of LAND in SOUTH KINGSTON, NEWTOWN, having about the following frontages:—
150 FEET to TRAFALGAR-TERRACE
132 FEET to CAVENDISH-STREET,
with a depth of 254½ FEET on one side, and 167 FEET on the other, upon which are erected
CLIFTON VILLA
and
ASHLEY VILLA,
two SEMI-DETACHED first-class FAMILY RESIDENCES, of brick cemented, on stone foundations, slate roofs, with wide verandahs front and back, and containing each the following accommodation:—

GROUND FLOOR—Wide entrance hall, drawing-room, dining-room, library.
UPPER FLOOR—Four large airy bedrooms, approached by spacious corridor.
The OFFICES comprise bath-room, kitchen, laundry, pantry, store room, and servants' apartments.
At the rear of each is a buggy-house and stable.
The water supply is abundant in all seasons.

Clifton and Ashley Villas are most substantially built, and of first-class materials, the internal fittings being all of picked cedar, and finished in good style.

The position they occupy is second to none in this truly delightful and healthful part of Newtown, known as SOUTH KINGSTON HILL, opposite STANMORE RAILWAY PLATFORM.

The grounds in front of each of the Villas are tastefully laid out into grassy lawn and garden plots, planted with choice flowering shrubs and rare evergreens.

From the front verandahs there is a most charming view of the city, Observatory Hill, Signal-staff, Balmain, NORTH SHORE, and the surrounding picturesque scenery, which can never be intercepted.

They will be offered in ONE or TWO LOTS, to suit purchasers.

Cards to view can be obtained on application at the Rooms.
Terms at sale. Plan at the Rooms.
Title, Torrens' Act.

SURRY HILLS, near MOORE PARK.

DWELLING-HOUSE, No. 20, BENNETT-STREET, between MARSHALL and DOWLING STREETS, a few feet south of FITZROY-STREET.

It is substantially built of brick, cemented in front, on stone foundations, and contains 2 rooms and kitchen, with shed, well-drained yard, &c., at the rear.

The LAND is a CORNER allotment, having frontages of 14 FEET to BENNETT-STREET, about 40 feet to a lane, with a depth of 49 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mrs. Baregan to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 22nd November, at 11 o'clock,
A well-built and conveniently-situated small dwelling in Bennett-street, Surry Hills, a few yards from Moore Park.
Title, Torrens' Act.

REDMYRE RAILWAY STATION.

BLOCK of LAND, containing 1 ACRE 3 ROODS, fronting the RAILWAY LINE, west of the REDMYRE RAILWAY STATION, and near the residence of R. NOTT, Esq.; together with the small COTTAGE THEREON.

It has frontages of
573 FEET to the RAILWAY LINE
350 FEET to a RESERVED ROAD.

. A capital block for subdividing into allotments, which, from their close proximity to the station, would command ready sale. Redmyre is now a popular and fashionable railway suburb.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 22nd November, at 11 o'clock,
ONE ACRE THREE ROODS of land, together with the COTTAGE thereon, only a few yards beyond the Redmyre Railway Station.
Plan of position on view at the Rooms.

Messrs. HOLDSWORTH and EVANS, Pitt-street, Solicitors to the Vendor.

SMALL CITY INVESTMENT.

EAST-STREET, SHERIFF'S GARDENS, between BRISBANE and RILEY STREETS, north of Campbell-street, Surry Hills.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 22nd November, at 11 o'clock,
All that allotment of land having 33 feet 10 inches frontage to the west side of EAST-STREET, nearly opposite Little Campbell-street, on which are erected TWO neatly-finished brick-built DWELLING-HOUSES, Nos. 7 and 9, EAST-STREET, containing each hall, 3 rooms and kitchen, yard, &c. (connected with the sewer), with back entrance from a lane off Brisbane-street.
Rental, £57 4s per annum.
A well-built freehold property, in a good letting position on Surry Hills, near Hyde Park and Oxford street.
Title, Torrens' Act.

BALMAIN.

ELEVATED BLOCK of LAND, lots 13 and 14, of Messrs. Bruce and Brent's subdivision of blocks 1, 2, 5, and 6, of section 47, of the BALMAIN ESTATE, about 5 minutes' walk from Bald Rock Steamers' Wharf.

It has 69 FEET 4 inches frontage to BRENT-STREET, between Crescent and Weston streets, with a depth of 102 feet on one side, and 108 feet on the other.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 22nd November, at 11 o'clock,
Beautifully situated block of land on the heights of Balmain, commanding a good view of portion of the city and the harbour, &c.
Title, Torrens' Act.

CAPITAL CITY INVESTMENT.

THE STAR HOTEL and TWO RESIDENCES, at the corner of LIVERPOOL and CROWN STREETS, between WILLIAM and OXFORD STREETS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 22nd November, at 11 o'clock,
All that valuable corner block of land having extensive frontages to
LIVERPOOL and CROWN STREETS,
on which are the following premises, most substantially built of brick and stone, and in good tenantable order:—
The STAR HOTEL, at the corner, with balcony in front, and containing bar, with fixtures, 6 rooms, kitchen, and cellar, paved yard, &c., connected with the sewer at rear.
TWO FAMILY RESIDENCES, Nos. 186 and 188, CROWN-STREET, with balconies in front, and containing each hall, 7 rooms and kitchen, with paved yard, &c., connected with the sewer at the rear.

☞ This is a faithfully-built and centrally situated city investment at the corner of two of the leading thoroughfares in Woolloomooloo.

The hotel is let on lease at £2 5s per week, tenant to pay taxes and keep premises in order. The houses are let at 25s per week each.

Terms at sale.

FOURTH-STREET, WOOLLAHRA, between OCEAN-STREET and EDGECLIFF ROAD, A few feet east of the new Public School.

TWO Weatherboard COTTAGES on stone foundations; one has verandah front and back, and contains 4 rooms, with well of good water, very large yard, &c., at rear; the other contains 2 rooms and kitchen, large yard, &c.

The land has 41 FEET frontage to the north side of FOURTH-STREET, with the GREAT DEPTH of 100 FEET, extending to a wide lane at the rear.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mr. M. Farrell to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 22nd November, at 11 o'clock,
The above described property on the heights of Woollahra, close to the omnibuses. The frontage to the lane is vacant and available for building purposes.

Title, leasehold; 77 years to run; ground rent, £7 15s per annum.

FOUR SHILLINGS PER FOOT
is the
UPSET PRICE
of the
BURLINGTON ESTATE SUBDIVISION,
fronting
LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH, BOTANY BAY.

☞ Day of Sale
MONDAY, 25th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock, at the Rooms, Pitt-street.

☞ LITHOGRAPHS NOW READY.

☞ TITLE—TORRENS' ACT.

☞ TERMS EXCEEDINGLY LIBERAL.
A deposit of £2 per lot; residue, £1 per month per lot, without interest.
A DISCOUNT of 5 per cent. off the residue, if paid within one month from day of sale.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Auctioneers.

MITTAGONG RAILWAY STATION.

A FIRST-CLASS commodious FAMILY COTTAGE RESIDENCE, Village of Nattai, near the Fitzroy Iron Works, Great Southern Road, and exactly one mile from the Mittagong Railway Station, close to several Schools and Churches.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Proprietor to sell by public auction, without reserve, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 6th December, at 11 o'clock,
The above very desirable property, full particulars of which appeared in last Saturday's HERALD, and will be published in each SATURDAY'S issue of the HERALD up to day of sale.

PARRAMATTA.

On MONDAY, 18th November.

A FAMILY RESIDENCE.

SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY.

To Investors, Speculators, and others.

Property SUITABLE FOR ANY FAMILY, situated in Macquarie-street East, in the most central part of the town, and within five minutes' easy walk to the railway station.
The house is erected on a large block of land, having in rear a spacious piece of ground under cultivation.
The building is of stone and brick, containing six ROOMS, with hall entrance, besides kitchen and servant's room detached.
Also, good stables, and a never-failing supply of good water.

L. MENSER has been favoured with instructions from N. WEEKS, Esq., to sell by auction on the GROUND, on MONDAY, 18th instant,
All that valuable property in Macquarie-street, consisting of a SPLENDID DWELLING, with an abundant supply of good water, and gas laid on throughout the house. The ground frontage is 66 feet x 350 feet in depth.

Title unquestionable.

Sale to commence at 11.30.

Terms easy.

LIVERPOOL.

Absolute Sale of Freehold Property in the estate of the late Gilbert M'Hugh, deceased.

CHARLES A. SCRIVENER has been favoured with instructions from the Executors to sell by public auction, on the premises, in Moore-street, Liverpool, on WEDNESDAY, November 20, at 11 o'clock,
The following very valuable properties:—
1. Large tannery, with every convenience: pits, all under galvanized iron roofing; cark mill; new 2-horse boiler, with fittings; large brick and cemented tank, rolling-table, &c.; in fact, a most complete concern, with ample room for extensions, occupying a large block of land at corner of two principal streets, in Liverpool, close to land purchased for post and telegraph offices.
2. Two cottages on land having large frontage to Northumberland-street, with good depth, both let to respectable tenants.
3. Large allotment of ground adjoining the above.
4. The interest of Mr. Thomas M'Hugh in an extensive range of brick buildings, a portion of which formed the dwelling-house of the late Mr. M'Hugh. At a small expense this property could be converted into four cottages.
5. A splendidly situated block of about 20 acres of land, having large frontage to the main road, less than one mile from the railway station, fenced and well watered, just the site for a gentleman's residence, being situated opposite to the Hon. S. Samuels' property, of Collingwood, now occupied by W. Bligh, Esq., J.P. A good chance for speculator for subdivision, as land is now getting scarce. and no lot at all equal to this for size and situation can be obtained. Liverpool is noted as a healthy locality, and property is rapidly rising in value.

Also, after the above, the personalty, consisting of water-cart, dray and harness, dogcart and harness, saddles, cooking apparatus, and a quantity of furniture.
Also, a LARGE QUANTITY OF BARK, GROUND and UNGROUND, weighing machine, large tables, curriers' beams, large and small casks, brass roller, knives, and tools, &c., &c.
Also, a good working horse.

Full particulars on application to the Auctioneer.

GOULBURN.

WEDNESDAY, 4th December.

Splendid Pastoral and Agricultural Properties.

For Sale, on above date, full particulars of which may be seen in every WEDNESDAY'S and SATURDAY'S issue of HERALD until Day of Sale.

FINLAY and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Belmore-square, on WEDNESDAY, 4th December, at 11 o'clock,
The following valuable freehold properties—
FREEHOLD PROPERTY, COTTLE WOLLEY, containing 2360 acres, five miles from Crookwell, 23 from Goulburn, magnificently grassed, abundantly watered, and exceedingly rich for agricultural or pastoral purposes.
FREEHOLD PROPERTY, BORO, containing 1980 acres with 5730 acres pre-emptive land, the purchased land is entirely fenced in, and the pre-emptive partially so, 28 miles from Goulburn, subdivided; dwelling-house, stables, yards, &c. Splendidly watered, and richly grassed.
FREEHOLD and CONDITIONAL PURCHASE, MIDDLE ARM, containing 710 acres, with 1920 acres pre-emptive land, entirely fenced in; cottage, garden, paddocks, 20 miles from Goulburn. One of the finest little properties in the South.
FREEHOLD FARM, containing 344 acres, entirely fenced in, known as Denis M'Guire's, near Breadalbane Plains, 12 miles from Goulburn. Six-room cottage and outbuildings. 30 acres under crop, plenty of water, and highly improved.

All these properties are within a day's drive of the railway, and thus to Sydney; and in proximity to the best inland markets in the colony.

Terms exceedingly liberal.

Further information on application to the Auctioneers.

Funerals.

THE FUNERAL of ROBERT COVENY, Esq., will move from St. Mary's Cathedral, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) MORNING, at 10 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Petersham. JAMES CURTIS.

A SOLEMN REQUIEM MASS, for the repose of the repose of the soul of the late Mr. ROBERT COVENY, will be celebrated at St. Mary's Cathedral, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) MORNING, at 9 o'clock.

THE FUNERAL of MARGARET, widow of the late John Connor, of Flashcombe, Prospect, will move from her late residence, Smith-street, Parramatta, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 3 o'clock.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. GEORGE RICHARD GRIFFITHS are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, No. 115, Lower George-street, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter before 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, 719, George-street South; and 120, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM FRANCIS COOPER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved BROTHER-IN-LAW, George Richard Griffiths; to move from No. 115, Lower George-street, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter before 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, 719, George-street South; and 120, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM LAMMON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved DAUGHTER, Anne Rhoda; to move from his residence, Bondi, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for the Waverley Cemetery. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, 719, George-street South; and 120, Oxford-street.

Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Will of THOMAS FAUX, late of The Terrace, Windsor, in the colony of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862, NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of THOMAS FAUX, late of The Terrace, Windsor, in the colony of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased, who died on or about the tenth day of June last past, and Probate of whose Will was, on the second day of July instant, granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, to THOMAS KENDALL BOWDEN, one of the Executors in the said Will named (leave being reserved for the Honorable Sir GEORGE WIGRAM ALLEN, Knight, and ARTHUR MANSFIELD ALLEN, the other executors, to come in and prove at any future time) are hereby required to send in full particulars of such claims, addressed to Arthur Mansfield Allen, of 124, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, Proctor for the said Executor, on or before TUESDAY, the thirty-first day of December next, after which date the said Thomas Kendall Bowden will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Faux, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.

Dated this fifteenth day of July, A.D. 1878.

ARTHUR MANSFIELD ALLEN, Proctor for Executor, 124, Elizabeth-street.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN INSOLVENCY.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ACCOUNTS, with plans of distribution in the undermentioned Estates, showing dividends as specified, are now filed in the Office of Insolvency, King-street, Sydney, for inspection of all persons interested; and Notice is hereby given that such accounts and plans will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on the twenty-eighth (28th) day of November, 1878, if not previously objected to.

Dated Sydney, 11th November, 1878.

WILLIAM MERRYWEATHER, of Sydney, Draper and Grocer, (No. 14,068), dividend of 1s 10½d per £ on proved current debts.

EDMUND WALKER COOPER, of "Adelaide Hotel" (No. 14,004), an account current only, showing balance at debit of the estate.

HENRY JAMES NEWELL, of North Shore, Grocer (No. 14,078), dividend of 1s 6d per £ on proved concurrent debts, and payment in full of proved preferent debts.

JOHN ARNOLD TOUZEAU, of Molong, Chemist (No. 14,020), an account current only, showing disposal of realized assets.

EDWARD WILLIAM LENTON, of Wagga Wagga, late of Goulburn, Saddler (No. 13,972), dividend of 6s 7d per £ on proved concurrent debts, and payment in full of proved preferent debts.

ALFRED SANDEMAN, Official Assignee,
Temple Court, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Will of JOHN BENJAMIN CHURCHILL, late of Botany-street, Waterloo, near Sydney, Joiner, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Accounts of RICHARD YEOMANS, the Executor of the Will of the abovenamed JOHN BENJAMIN CHURCHILL, deceased, have been filed in the proper office of this Honorable Court, and all persons having any claim on the estate of the said deceased, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me, at my Office, in the Supreme Court-house, King-street, Sydney, on or before the twenty-ninth day of November instant, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to inspect the said Accounts, and, if they shall think fit, to object thereto; and if at or before that time no objection shall be taken to the said Accounts, the same will be proceeded with, inquired into, and disposed of in due course of law.

Dated the sixteenth day of November, 1878.

For the Prothonotary, THEODORE POWELL, Ecclesiastical Clerk, Supreme Court.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Lands, Goods, Chattels, Credits, and Effects of ANDREW MACKENZIE, late of Moelly, near Ulladulla, Farmer deceased, intestate.

PURSUANT to the 29th section of the Trust Property Act of 1862, Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands upon or affecting the estate of the abovenamed ANDREW MACKENZIE, deceased (who died on or about the seventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and Letters of Administration of whose estate and effects were granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, on or about the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, to ROBERT STEWART MACKENZIE, of Bowral, in the said colony, Schoolmaster, a brother of the said deceased), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the said Robert Stewart Mackenzie, on or before the tenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, at the expiration of which time the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which he shall then have had notice, and the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this sixteenth day of November, A.D. 1878.

BRADLEY and SON, Proctors for Administrator, 64, Margaret-street, Sydney.

NOTICE is hereby given that by Indenture of Assignment bearing the date fifteenth day of November, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-eight, made between HENRY JORGEUS, of Liverpool, in the colony of New South Wales, storekeeper, of the first part, JAMES THOMAS TILLOCK, of George-street, Sydney, in the colony aforesaid, wholesale grocer, and JOSEPH TEAS, of Barrack-street, Sydney, aforesaid, one of the firm of Teas, Stewart, and Burnett, warehousemen, trustees for the purposes therein mentioned, of the second part; and the several persons and bodies corporate creditors of the said Henry Jorgeus, who, so far as he could set forth the same, are named in the first schedule to the said indenture of the third part; all the real and personal property of every description of which the said Henry Jorgeus was seised possessed of or entitled to, were conveyed and assigned unto the said trustees, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns in trust for the benefit of all the creditors of the said Henry Jorgeus and notice is hereby further given that the said indenture was duly executed by the said Henry Jorgeus and the said trustees and duly attested as by law is required, and the same indenture is now lying in the office of CHARLES BULL, Solicitor, of Temple-court, King-street, Sydney, aforesaid, for inspection and execution.

Dated this fifteenth day of November, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-eight.

H. JORGEUS
JAMES THOMAS TILLOCK.
JOSEPH TEAS.

Signed by the said Henry Jorgeus in the presence of F. CUNNINGHAM, J.P.

Signed by the said James Thomas Tillock and Joseph Teas in the presence of F. CUNNINGHAM, J.P.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTICE.

City Mart, 862, George-street,
1st November, 1878.

We beg to intimate that we have succeeded to the business of Messrs. L. E. THRELKELD and CO. (as Auctioneers and General Brokers), City Mart, George-street, which we shall carry on in connection with our Melbourne house.

We also beg to notify that Mr. F. W. UTHER (who has for so many years been connected with our firm) has been admitted a partner in this branch of our business, and also that the services of Mr. A. ELKINGTON have been retained.

We are, Sirs,
Yours faithfully,
FRASER and CO.

DR. GEORGE ON LEE, 34, College-street, Sydney, will leave town 19th November, at 6 p.m., and return the 28th, and see patients as usual.

ADVANCES made on Wool, Metals, and other colonial produce for Sale here, in London, or elsewhere. Credits granted for purchase of goods, and indents executed on the most favourable terms, through our London house, Messrs. John B. Watt and Co., 5, East India Avenue, Leadenhall-street.

GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

Lloyd's Agency.

WOOL AND OTHER PRODUCE.—Liberal cash advances made by the undersigned on wool and other produce placed in their hands for sale in the colonies for shipment to Messrs. Dalgety, Du Croz, and Co., their London firm. Advances made on stations and stock. Station stores supplied.

DALGETY, BLACKWOOD, and CO.

Offices: Exchange-buildings, Pitt-street (next Messrs. W. Laidley and Co.'s), Sydney.

GREAT NORTHERN FORWARDING AGENCY. —We beg to inform our Constituents that we have removed our Willow Tree Office to the present TERMINUS of the G. N. RAILWAY, at TAMWORTH, where all communications will please be addressed, and business entrusted to us shall have every attention, as usual.

PERRY, DENSHIRE, and Co.
Forwarding and General Agents.

G. N. Railway, Tamworth.

TO THE INHABITANTS OF NEWTOWN AND SURROUNDING SUBURBS.—E. TAYLOR has a private Hansom CAB for HIRE, on reasonable terms; and he respectfully requests a share of your patronage. Orders received at the stables, Baltic-street, Kingston; or Mr. LINCOLN, Horseshoer, near Newtown Town Hall and Mr. Rogers' Hotel, near Railway.

NO. 4 STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY. —Shares, £50; entrance fee, 1s; subscription, 1s per week. The next Sale of the right to an advance of any sum from £50 up to £500 will take place on MONDAY, December 2nd, at 8 p.m.

Every member possesses the privilege of securing an advance of the above sum if so desirous.

All information obtainable at the office, 284, Pitt-street.

THOMAS MILLER, Secretary.

HORDERN'S NEW CARPET SHOP
just opened in Pitt-street,
opposite HORDERN'S well-known
Drapery Shop, Pitt-street.

TO COUNTRY RESIDENTS!!
HORDERN'S New Carpet Warehouse is Now
OPEN!!!
If you send down orders for Carpets, they
shall be properly attended to.
Address J. L. HORDERN, 259, Pitt-street.

I WILL not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife. JOHN STEVENS.

IF ROBERT BROWN does not come and release his things, they will be sold to defray expenses. Bridget M'Donnell, No. 4, Butler-street.

UNLESS JAMES GIBSON claims and pays expenses within fourteen days on LUGGAGE left at 18, Wynyard-square, and now stored at Tenby House, the goods will be sold.

NOTICE.—W. KERR'S, Jewellery Establishment will be CLOSED on TUESDAY, 19th November.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—The Shop of Frederick Hammon, watchmaker and jeweller, will be closed on TUESDAY.

WATCHMAKERS' PICNIC.—T. F. Wiesner's Establishment will be CLOSED on TUESDAY next, 19th.

REMOVAL.—THE UNDERSIGNED have removed to their new premises, 83, York and Wynyard streets.

WILSON, TAIT, and CO.

REMOVAL, from 337, Pitt-street, to 7, Park-street; A. R. Walker's Gas-cooking Stoves. J. T. Burrows, sole agent.

I HEREBY beg to apologise to Miss M. FOSTER for any words used by me, which would tend to defame her character. WILLIAM HENRY RICKARDS,
383, Elizabeth-street.

ANTI-CHINESE AGITATION.
Mr. JOHN STACK is duly appointed to collect subscriptions towards this movement.

Books, Publications, &c.

HIS NATURAL LIFE, by Marcus Clarke, 6s, post free 7s.
Chatterbox, new volume, 3s, post free 4s 3d
Wedding Bells, vol. 16, 5s, post free 6s 9d
Gustave Doré's Spain, splendid copy, beautifully illustrated, published at £3 3s, offered at 50s
Cherry Ripe, by Helen Mathers, 2s 6d, post free 3s 2d.
FRENCH BOOKS.—Just received a very choice assortment, embracing, among others, the works of Gaboriau, About, Ulbach, Cherbuliez, George Sand, Sandeau, Souvestre, Méry, Karr, Dumas, &c.
FRENCH BOOKS FOR CHILDREN.—A choice selection of La Bibliothèque Rose, illustrée, newly bound in cloth, gilt, and well illustrated, per vol. 5s, post free 5s 9d.
GERMAN BOOKS.—A small assortment to hand of the most popular authors, Hackländer, Bremer, Auerbach, &c.
An immense stock of books in all departments.
Juvenile books for presents, &c., a large variety at all prices.
WILLIAM MADDOCK,
Importer,
383, George-street.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS.—Do not fail to see the beautiful assortment at Maddock's. Some very choice designs from the noted houses De la Rue and Co., Marcus Ward, and Co., Prang, of Boston, and many others. For variety, elegance of design, and cheapness, they are not to be surpassed in Sydney. TO COUNTRY CUSTOMERS.—Please send your orders early, and thereby ensure the advantage of first choice. Every care is taken in the execution of country orders, and all lots of 1s and upwards sent post free.

WILLIAM MADDOCK,
City Stationery Warehouse,
383, George-street.

STUDY HEALTH. — FULLERTON'S FAMILY MEDICAL GUIDE will be found a most reliable and complete guide to health; no family in town or country should be without a copy. The third edition enlarged and revised is now ready, and the rapid sale of the two former editions fully proves the value of the work. It is plainly and practically written, and is especially adapted to the colonies. Price, 12s 6d; post free 14s. WILLIAM MADDOCK, 383, George-street; and all booksellers.

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WANTED, a Chinaman COOK; also, wanted a BOOTS. Palace Hotel, Haymarket.

WANTED, a female, plain COOK, for Ashfield. Apply A. J. Watt and Co., 584, George-street.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply Mrs. Britcher, Elizabeth-street, opposite Belmore Park.

WANTED, a smart BOY. G. M. Woods, butcher, 96, Albion-street.

WANTED, a General SERVANT, for Ada House, near station, Petersham. Fare paid.

WANTED, a little GIRL, to mind a baby. Crockery shop, 145, George-street North.

WANTED, an experienced WAITER. 281½, Pitt-street. Apply early.

WANTED, SERVANTS, for good situations; waiting engagement, a Coachman. Mrs. Donnelly, William-st.

WANTED, a young GIRL, to mind a baby. Apply No. 293, Riley-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, good COOK and LAUNDRESS. Craig's-terrace, 47, Kent-street North.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. 220, George-street North. Also a NURSEGIRL; with refs.

WANTED, a MAN, to work in the garden. J. Goode, Cook's River.

WANTED, a respectable General SERVANT. Apply No. 1, Lady Robinson's-terrace, Bourke-st., Surry Hills.

WANTED, good General SERVANT; washing out: wages, 15s; refs. 311, Upper Dowling-st., Darlinghurst.

WANTED, at once, WOMAN, by day; housework, plain cooking; refs. 311, Upper Dowling-st., Darlinghurst.

WANTED, a good Fencer; no other need apply; a single man preferred. Rob Roy Hotel, Balmain.

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WANTED, competent General SERVANT. Apply this morning, 138, Castlereagh-street North.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID and NURSEGIRL. Apply 2, Mountview-terrace, Moore Park, near Fitzroy-st.

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WANTED, a little GIRL, to nurse a baby. Mr. H. H. Roberts, University Hotel, Glebe.

WANTED, a good HOUSEMAID. Blair's Hotel, Kent and Margaret streets.

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WANTED, for an up-country store, a young MAN accustomed to general stockkeeping. Apply personally between 8 and 10 a.m., at 146, Phillip-street.

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WANTED, three BOYS, for a dairy farm in the country; able to milk preferred. John Ritchie, Caledonian Wharf, King-street.

WANTED, good experienced General SERVANT, another is kept; two in family; good wages. Apply Monday and Tuesday, before 1 o'clock. 168, Alberto-terrace.

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WANTED, 60 good PICK and SHOVEL MEN on the Great North-Western Railway Extension, Werris Creek to Gunnedah. Apply to the Overseer at Werris Creek; or Main Camp, Breeza. W. T. Poole.

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APARTMENTS vacant, at 2, Rialto-terrace, Upper William-street South, Darlinghurst.

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WANTED, by married couple, furnished BEDROOM, use of kitchen, in private family, 10 minutes' walk of Post Office; open for a week. O. B., HERALD Office.

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WANTED, large family RESIDENCE, in eastern suburbs, about April next. B., HERALD Office.

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WANTED, a detached RESIDENCE, on a good area, by end of year, eastward preferred, not less than 5 good bedrooms, bathroom, &c.; also, stabling, water, and gas. E. Ramsay, house agent, 412, George-street.

WANTED, in the suburbs, for a Lady, three children, and nurse, SITTING and two BED ROOMS, with board; where no other boarders are preferred. Address, stating terms, to A. C., Post Office.

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For SALE, on account of the Trustees under the Will of the late Mrs. M. F. Hosking, this very superior Estate, embracing an area of 1558 acres, as per recent survey, situate about four miles south from Liverpool by road and railway, and directly opposite to Macquarie Fields Estate. Bounded on the west by the Southern Railway, which divides it from that estate, and on the east by George's River. The supply of water is ever abundant, Bunbury Curran Creek running through the estate into the river, both of which are continually flowing. The land is good and a considerable portion has been cleared, and parts of it have been under cultivation. The grazing capabilities are well-known to be very good, and the growing timber consists of the usual variety. The homestead comprehends a commodious dwelling-house or cottage of six rooms, with a verandah on three sides, and a capacious attic or storeroom; also outside, kitchen, stables, coach-house, a dairy, &c., all mainly of stone. There are enclosed yards, garden, ground and paddocks, and the boundary and other fences are in good order. The grazing and general farming capabilities and other advantages belonging to this estate must be seen to be fully appreciated.

The most convenient entrance into the estate will be by the Glenfield Railway Station at the north-west corner of the estate, and the Macquarie Fields Station or platform could also be used. A new road has been formed to lead from the Glenfield Station to the homestead (length about a mile), crossing the creek by a substantial new bridge.

For further particulars apply to G. RATTRAY, 1, Lloyd's chambers, George-street, where a plan from the late survey can be seen.

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For SALE, on account of the Trustees of the Estate of the late Mrs. M. F. Hosking, that centrally-situated block of LAND, with 27 HOUSES, known as HOSKING-PLACE, between Pitt-street and Castlereagh-street North, near Hunter-street, having a frontage to Castlereagh-street of 123½ feet and a depth towards Pitt-street of 234 feet. Communication from Pitt-street is by a covered way between Vickery's and Terry's-buildings.

This block of land is very advantageously situated for commercial purposes. It adjoins, on the north, that block on which large warehouses are now in course of erection for Messrs. Young and Lark, at the rear of the City Bank.

The tenements in Hosking-place are all in good condition, and are constantly tenanted by respectable families, and yield a very good rental; but those tenements might be replaced by erections of a still more profitable description.

This valuable property is well worth the immediate attention of enterprising capitalists.

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APARTMENTS vacant for Families and Gentlemen. Gordon House, 138, Castlereagh-street North.

To Let.

AT 3, York's-terrace, a neat family RESIDENCE, with every convenience. E. Ramsay, 412, George-street.

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A HOUSE to LET, 5 rooms and kitchen, gas, &c.; rent, 18s. Apply Fairview, Waverley Road, Woollahra.

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Ditto.—Three HOUSES, each 6 rooms, 20s, taxes paid.
DOUBLE BAY.—COTTAGE of 4 rooms to LET, for three or six months, furnished.
Full particulars and cards to view on application.

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HUNTER'S HILL.—To LET, Waterside COTTAGE, 9 rooms, verandah, garden, &c., near Figtree Wharf, Lane Cove. Apply at Lime-street Wharf, Sydney.

MANLY.—To LET, No. 1, PETERSVILLE, close to Pier, partially furnished. Apply next door.

MANLY BEACH.—To LET, Furnished COTTAGE on Camera-hill, 6 rooms, kitchen, &c. J. S. Harrison, 267, George-street.

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TO LET, a 4-roomed HOUSE. Apply Mrs. Wain, next to Murphy and Son's, Parramatta-street.

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The highest tender not necessarily accepted.

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